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YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum, 61 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 67 deg.; partly cloudy.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 65 deg.; partly cloudy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued warm; light easterly winds, changing to northerly.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; continued warm; light north winds, changing to fresh westerly.

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THE GREAT WAR.

FIRST OF THE OUTER DEFENSES OCCUPIED.

Japanese Meet but Feeble Resistance so Far at Port Arthur.

Newchwang Hears Firing at Night—Fighting Takes Place Daily on the Peninsula — Country South of Kinchow Probably the Future Scene of Decisive Battles—Kouropatkin Authorized to Attempt Relief.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Rome correspondent of the Central News telegraphs:

"A Tokio dispatch to the Giornale D'Italia says that the Japanese have occupied the first of the outer fortifications of Port Arthur after a feeble resistance.

"The correspondent at Tokio of the News Agency Liberas says that four divisions of Japanese troops have occupied Twan Tung Heights, on which they emplaced heavy artillery dominating Port Arthur.

"The same correspondent adds that the Russian squadron attempted a sortie, but was forced to return, being threatened by the Japanese fleet."

FIRING HEARD AT NIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, June 3, 4:30 p.m.—Steamers which have arrived here from Newchwang report that firing in the vicinity of Port Arthur was heard last night. Those on board only saw two Japanese cruisers. Chinese junks which have reached this port from the Cha River, west of Takushan, report that the Japanese have captured two Russian officers and forty soldiers disguised as Japanese.

CANNONADING IS CONTINUOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIAO YANG, June 3.—There are persistent rumors that another battle is in progress near Port Arthur. Continuous cannonading has been heard from the south. An additional force of 15,000 Japanese is reported to have landed at Takushan.

FIGHTING TAKES PLACE DAILY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MUKDEN, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fighting is taking place daily on the Fenshuiling road, but the Russian forces must not be expected for some time—not until the Japanese forces are massed into one army.

The Japanese plan of campaign is now definitely disclosed and there is now no longer an uncertainty as to where troops are needed.

Japanese in three divisions now occupy that part of the isthmus between Managlen and Wafangtien, with a line of communications by coast to Feng Wang Cheng.

RUMORS OF GENERAL FIGHTING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MUKDEN, June 3.—For two days past, rumors have been current of severe fighting on the Liao Tung Peninsula. Details are lacking, but the fact that fighting has been general throughout the peninsula is officially admitted. The Russians have pushed their outposts south to Wan Fang Tien, on the railroad, while the Japanese occupy the country from the shores of Korea Bay inland to the vicinity of Siu Yen. The fact that a Japanese army, estimated to number 50,000 men, is concentrated south of Kinchow is regarded here as indicating the region where decisive battles will be fought.

RESISTING A POSSIBLE ADVANCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KAI CHOU, June 3.—The Japanese have moved a division up to Pulandien as a screen for their operations on the Kwan Tung Peninsula, and also to resist a possible Russian advance, intended to interfere with the siege operations.

KUROKI'S OUTPOSTS HOLD LIAO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIAO YANG, June 3.—Gen. Kuroki's outposts now hold the line at Liao Pudza, Se Lieund Jan and Chan Li Dzy. The Japanese disembarking at Takushan have reached Ulaossa. A division of the guards forms the connecting link between Ulaossa and Feng Wang Cheng. The Japanese landings at Pitsewo, Liao Tung Peninsula, continue.

RELIEF COLUMN ABANDONS PURPOSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, June 3.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg says: "It appears that the Russian relief column of 30,000 men, mobilized for the succor of Port Arthur, has abandoned its project, owing to the fall of Kinchow and the landing of Japanese reinforcements."

SHOT AT THE SCOUTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VAFANGOW, June 1 (via Liao Yang, June 2.)—A continuation of the fighting was expected here today, but the Japanese did not appear in force. A reconnoitering party, however, exchanged shots with the enemy's scouts, and the latter were driven off, leaving two men dead on the field. Tomorrow will probably determine whether the Japanese are strong enough to take Vafangow.

ENGAGEMENT NEAR LICHATON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, June 3, Noon.—A body of Japanese cavalry encountered and defeated a mixed force of Russian cavalry, infantry, and artillery near Lichaton, nine miles north of Pulandien Monday last, May 30. The engagement began at 12:30 p.m. and lasted for two hours, the Russian troops being finally driven northward. The Japanese had twenty-six men killed, including one officer, and thirty-seven wounded, including four officers. The movement of the Russian forces southward indicates a possible effort to relieve Port Arthur. The Russian losses are unknown.

[The fighting reported from Tokio as having occurred near Lichaton is evidently identical with the engagement reported from Liao Yang May 30 by a correspondent of the Associated Press as having occurred at Vagenfuchu (possibly near Vafangow,) which is about nine miles north of Polandien, on the Liao Tung Peninsula. It was in this engagement that the Cossacks under Gen. Samsomoff were reported to have annihilated a squadron of Japanese. The Japanese were commanded by Gen. Akkiama.—Associated Press.]

YAMAGATA FULL COMMANDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 4.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Tokio says that Field Marshal Yamagata has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of all the armies in the field. He is expected to proceed to the Liao Tung region shortly.

KOUROPATKIN'S AWAKENING.

JAPS WORTHY OF PRAISE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWCHWANG, June 3, Morning.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Every effort on the part of the Russians to communicate with the southern part of the Liao Tung Peninsula has resulted in failure. The Japanese are in control of all avenues of communication, and they allow no messages to pass. With the exception of the authorities, the Russians in Newchwang are daily growing more depressed at the outlook.

An officer of high rank, who arrived here from Mukden, spoke as follows, concerning Gen. Kouropatkin:

"He is awakening to the fact that the Japanese are worthy of praise. He declares that their recent operations prove them to be among the greatest strategists in the world, and to this must be added great daring, capacity for work and ability to stand punishment. The general did not believe this before, but now it has been demonstrated.

"The mills at Harbin are being worked day and night in grinding Manchurian wheat, and their daily output is estimated conservatively at 750,000 pounds of flour. The Russian authorities are encouraging the farmers to plant larger crops than ever before, and they are not depending on the Trans-Siberian Railroad for transportation of supplies."

RUSSIAN RETREAT AT KINCHOW.

GEN. STOESSEL'S REPORT SHOWS IT WAS UNAVOIDABLE.

Japanese Fire from Vessels Annihilated His Batteries—Thirty of the Czar's Officers and Eight Hundred Men Were Killed or Wounded. Blew up His Guns.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lieut.-Gen. Zilinsky, Chief of Staff to Gen Kouropatkin, transmits to the Minister of War, under date of June 2, a report of Gen. Stoessel, dated Port Arthur, May 28, as follows:

"After a fierce battle lasting two days, I ordered our positions at Kinchow to be evacuated in the evening, for we had opposed to us at least three divisions with 120 guns. The enemy's fire, particularly that from four gunboats and six torpedo boats, annihilated our batteries, mounted at Kinchow. The Fifth Regiment, which was posted on this spot, stood its ground heroically. The fire of this regiment, as well as that of our batteries and the gunboat Bobr, off Khounoueza, inflicted enormous losses on the Japanese.

"Our loss amounted to thirty officers and 800 men killed or wounded. We blew up or damaged all our guns which the Japanese had not put out of action. It would have been inexpedient, certainly, to bring up siege artillery during the fierce fighting.

"The battle on May 26 began at 5 a.m., and lasted until 8 p.m., when I ordered the position evacuated gradually. The explosion of a number of our mines and fougades was rendered impossible by the Japanese, who turned our position immediately. The Japanese advanced through water up to their waists under the protection of the ships.

"The spirit of our troops is excellent."

MORE OF STOESSEL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3, 8:35 p.m.—Gen. Stoessel's report, which has reached the War Office, is dated May 28.—The method of its transmission to Viceroy Alexieff is not disclosed, but it is presumed it was taken by a Chinese junk to Newchwang. Evidently it was written under stress, as it was hastily penciled. The account says the attack began May 21 and culminated on the evening of May 26. The real fighting was practically confined to May 25 and 26, the Japanese remaining quiet the two preceding days.

Gen. Stoessel reports that owing to the absence of the support of warships against the Japanese artillery fire at the time of the final assault on the Rusian position on Nanshan Hill during the evening of May 26, he at 8 o'clock gave the order to blow up the guns and retire. The general explains that the order was only partially executed, as the enemy's flank movements necessitated promptness

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POLITICAL.

OXNARD'S "SKINCH."

Why He Needn't be a Sugar Barrel.

Inside "News" at Washington that the Southern Pacific is Backing Him.

His Los Angeles Press Agent Has the Magnate's Election Well "Assured."

Illinois Convention Names Deneen for Governor on Seventy-ninth Ballot.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Somebody in Los Angeles is sending "political news" East that, coming without warning, simply amazes the natives. It was known here last Sunday morning that Oxnard had formally entered the race for the Senatorship in California, but it was not supposed that he was already elected, and the following dispatch, dated Los Angeles, which appeared in Eastern newspapers today, seemed "sort of sudden:"

"Henry T. Oxnard, the sugar magnate, is going to the United States Senate from California. His election is just as well assured as if the Legislature had met and taken the conclusive ballot. Lined up with him are the Republicans of California, North and South, and more important still, he has on his side the Southern Pacific Railroad.

"The railroad is for Oxnard principally because it does not like Bard, who is slow and indecisive, and let [illegible]

DEADLOCK AT LAST IS BROKEN.

DENEEN NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR AT SPRINGFIELD.

Yates, Hamlin and Sherman Entered into Combination to Throw Their Strength to Afterward Successful Candidate, Who Wins on the Seventy-ninth Ballot.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) June 3.—By making a combination with Charles S. Deneen, L. Y. Sherman, Howland J. Hamlin and John H. Pierce, Gov. Yates today broke the deadlock in the Republican State convention and brought about the nomination of Deneen for Governor. The nomination was made on the seventy-ninth ballot, which stood: Yates, 1; Lowden, 522½; Deneen, 357½; Warner, 21.

The combination was the result of a series of conferences which were held last night and this morning, and which were participated in by Yates, Deneen, Hamlin, Sherman and Pierce.

The agreement had not been consummated when the convention met at 10 o'clock this morning, when the Yates and Deneen people forced a recess until 2 p.m. Then the parties to the combination met and finally agreed upon Deneen as the candidate. When the convention reconvened, Yates, Hamlin and Sherman withdrew their names from the consideration of the delegates and urged their friends to vote for Deneen.

When the seventy-ninth roll call was ordered and Adams county led off with "one vote for Yates and nineteen for Deneen," the wildest excitement prevailed. As the call proceeded it became evident that the new combination would win, but the original Lowden men for the most part remained firm and went to defeat with him. When the call was completed, Lowden moved to make the nomination unanimous, and Chairman Cannon declared the motion carried.

All of the pent-up enthusiasm of the delegates manifested itself as Deneen came to the platform and briefly thanked the convention for the honor. In response to the demands of the assemblage, Col. Lowden made an address pledging his support of the ticket.

The convention then took up the nomination of a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, but the leaders of the new combination were not prepared for this, and a recess was taken until 8 p.m. In the meantime the parties to the combination which had nominated Deneen met at the executive mansion and prepared a slate for the remainder of the ticket.

The ticket was completed at the night session as follows: Lieutenant-Governor, L. I. Sherman; Secretary of State, James A. Rose (incumbent;) State Treasurer, Len Small; State Auditor, Joseph McCullough (incumbent;) Attorney-General, W. H. Stead; University Trustees, Mrs. Mary T. Bunney, Charles Davidson and W. L. Abbott.

The ticket went through according to the slate agreed upon at the executive mansion conference, except in the case of B. M. Chipperfield, whom W. H. Stead defeated for Attorney-General.

At 11:40 o'clock the convention adjourned until tomorrow.

FLOODS WORK RUIN IN KANSAS VALLEY.

Rainfall in the Kaw River Watershed Heavy for Several Days.

Many Towns and Cities of the Sunflower State More or Less Under Water, While Farm Lands Throughout the Entire Length of Several Streams Are Greatly Damaged—Santa Fe System Crippled.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) June 3.—The heavy rains of the last few days in Kansas are confined mostly to the counties south of the Kaw watershed. As a result, the valleys of the rivers which flow southeast are flooded. The tributaries of the Kaw are not dangerous.

The worst floods are in the valleys of the Neosho, Cottonwood, Verdigris, Arkansas, Little Arkansas, Walnut and Marmatin rivers. All creeks through this section are flooding and impassable. The rivers all drain to the southward. The rivers from Chanute, Humboldt, Neosho Falls and Strong City, Emporia and Cottonwood Falls show that the Neosho and the Cottonwood rivers are flooding their valleys and doing great damage to town property, oil field and farm lands throughout their entire lengths in Kansas. Independence reports similar conditions along the Verdigris, while the Walnut, the Little Arkansas and the Arkansas are out of their banks and still rising.

The rainfall in the Kaw River watershed in Kansas is described by the Weather Bureau officials as being "moderate to heavy." They do not expect that any trouble will result at this point from the fall. The river is rising slowly, but unless there is a very heavy rainfall in the watershed tonight a dangerous water stage will not be reached.

At Emporia, the Cottonwood River rose three inches an hour all night and is now as high as last night, when it reached the highest water mark ever known. The Cottonwood is still rising rapidly. Today it broke across the bottomland between the river and Dry Creek, which is three miles south of the river and runs parallel with the river several miles.

Emporia is too high to be flooded, but the low portions were inundated and many negroes driven out. At Fort Scott and vicinity, the flood of six weeks ago has been repeated. The Marmatin there is a mile wide and has cut off Delltown, a suburb, where several hundred persons have been driven from their homes.

SANTA FE CONDITIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) June 3.—The Santa Fé Railroad officials gave out the following statement of the whereabouts of their trains and condition of the tracks in the flood district from Emporia west to Newton:

"The most serious situation is in the vicinity of Florence. The main line is more or less under water from two miles east of Florence to Strong City. The Marion-McPherson branch is washed out for several miles west of Florence. The Strong City branch northwest is also impassable on account of flooded track. For four miles south of Florence, the Eldorado branch tracks are under water.

"The Wichita branch is flooded two miles south of Newton, as is the main line two miles west. The detour of trains is quite successful. The Rock Island lines are being used principally. No. 8 came east over that line from Hutchinson today. Nos. 1 and 5 and 2 and 6 will also be detoured over the same route. No. 18 reached Emporia at 10 o'clock from Wichita via the 'Frisco to Dovery, then over the Howard branch. Thursday's No. 7 and No. 17 took the same route south; Thursday's No. 5 is still flood-bound at Clements. The Santa Fé further states that this is their worst flood experience."

KAW TRIBUTARIES RISING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) June 3.—All the tributaries of the Kaw River in Kansas are rising rapidly this afternoon and a flood is threatened. Railroad traffic is demoralized and many through trains are stalled. The principal streams affected are the Kaw, the Smoky Hill, the Republican and the Marais Des Cygnes. So far, no casualties have been reported.

At Newton, Kan., over 600 persons have been rendered homeless by a sudden rise in Sandy Creek, which flows through the north and west portions of that town. The rise in the creek was caused by a cloudburst and the water rose so quickly that hundreds of persons were caught in their homes. Rescuing parties were immediately formed and hundreds of men worked all night rescuing the unfortunates. Morning found all removed to places of safety, but with the water still rising and further heavy damage likely.

At Emporia, four inches of water fell Thursday and he Cottonwood River rose during the night at the rate of six inches an hour, flooding the business portion of the town and causing much damage. Commercial street was converted into a river and boats were used.

Council Grove is threatened with a flood as serious as that of last year, when property damage amounting to over $300,000 was done.

The Neosho is now falling. More than 100 farmers have been driven from their homes, some escaping in boats, but the majority getting all of their household goods out in safety. The Santa Fé track up the Cottonwood Valley, fifty miles west to Florence, is under water or washed out. Strong City, Elmdale and Clements, in the Cottonwood Valley, are submerged, and the rapid rise of the river has sent almost the entire population to the second stories or the housetops. Much loss of stock and crops are reported.

In the vicinity of Lorraine and Sterling, the rain was accompanied by a heavy wind storm, many small houses were blown down, crops were damaged and much other damage was done.

Two inches of water fell within ten minutes. It is difficult to estimate the loss, but it will be great.

At Gardnett, Humboldt, Lincoln Center, Caldwell, Harper, Wellington, Olathe, Arkansas City, Iola, Pittsburg and Leavenworth similar reports of damage from flood are received.

In the country west of Strong City a cloudburst caused the Cottonwood River to rise rapidly. At Junction City, Manhattan, Salina, North Topeka and Lawrence, the Smoky Hill and Kaw rivers have also risen.

East of Topeka, along the Kaw, the real effect of the flood has not yet begun to be felt, nor is it likely before another twenty-four hours.

At Lawrence, that stream has been very wide for over a month and from time to time more or less minor damage has been done, but with the experience of last year much has been learned that has enabled the citizens to protect themselves in a way against any great loss.

Past trains have been annulled, limited trains have been delayed badly, others have been compelled to make wide detours. All south, southwest and westbound trains moving at all are running on slow orders.

MAIN STREETS RIVERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) June 3.—A special to the State Journal from Strong City says the water is running along the main streets and in the first floor of the Postal Telegraph building, the Bank of Strong City, Carter's drug store, the Ryan restaurant and other business houses.

The business portion of the town consists mainly of one long street between Strong City and Cottonwood Falls, along the center of which runs the street railway. The mile and a quarter of this is level and low and almost entirely under water which comes from Fox Creek on the west and the Cottonwood River.

DALLAS, TEXAS, TORNADO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) June 3.—A tornado at Dallas, Tex., today blew the roof off the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company and caused other damage through the city. As far as known, no one was hurt.

When the Western Union building was struck a panic ensued among the forces at work in the operating room. All wire communication with the outside was cut off for several hours, but it was partially restored at 9 o'clock. At 9:45, however, the city was again shut out from the outside world.

It is believed that more or less damage has been done in the outlying country.

HOMES UNINHABITABLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWTON (Kan.) June 3.—The flood of last night is receding. Not less than 100 homes are uninhabitable as a result of the high water. In some cases, the foundations of houses were undermined and the walls damaged. The loss on household goods is heavy, while scores of barns and other small buildings were washed away. Three street bridges were swept away and every bridge in the city was damaged and is unsafe.

The flooded section covers an area of not less than thirty blocks. There were several instances of conspicuous bravery displayed by rescuers. Not a train from east or south has reached Newton for thirty hours.

WIND UNROOFS HOUSES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JOPLIN (Mo.) June 3.—Several houses were unroofed in Joplin, trees were uprooted and many booths arranged for the annual carnival have been wrecked by a severe windstorm, while a torrent of rain caused much damage. The storm was general throughout Southwestern Missouri.

OKLAHOMA TOWN STRUCK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ARKANSAS CITY (Kan.) June 3.—A tornado struck Glencoe, a town of 1000 in Payne county, Oklahoma, today, demolishing five residences and destroying the Methodist church. Several persons were hurt, none seriously. Much damage was done to farm property.

DYNAMITE THE DAM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WICHITA (Kan.) June 3.—The dam in the Little Arkansas River at this point was blown out by dynamite at a late hour this afternoon. There was immediate danger but the river was rising and higher water was reported further north.

KANSAS RIVER RISING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) June 3.—The Kansas River at this place is rising slowly tonight. It registers slightly over twelve feet above low-water mark. The Weather Bureau says that by noon tomorrow the river will be three feet higher. No great damage is anticipated. Rain is reported from upstream towns.

The Santa Fé and Missouri Pacific have had great trouble with their tracks. Many washouts are reported. The Santa Fé has been sending its trains west on the Rock Island all day and expects to resume traffic on its own lines by tomorrow night.

A woman and child, names unknown, are reported drowned at Florence. The damage done by the flood is immense. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of bridges have been destroyed and growing crops are greatly harmed.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

LONDON, June 4.—[By Atlantic Cable.] No further light has been thrown on the rumors concerning Gen. Kouropatkin's intentions. Dispatches in the Morning Post from Shanghai and to the Chronicle from Newchwang repeat the reports of the movement of 15,000 Russians to Kaiping. The correspondents assert that five days fighting took place at Wafangtien, and that the Russians are employing 4000 carts to remove munitions from Liao Yang to Kai Yuen, seventy miles north of Mukden.

The Post's Shanghai correspondent also says that Gen. Mistchenko has sent 4000 cavalry of the Imperial Guard from Kuang Cheng Tsu to cut off the Japanese at Pitsewo. No great reliance, however, should be placed on these dispatches, which have evidently some common Chinese origin.

The Daily Mail's correspondent at Mukden, telegraphing under date of June 3, says that fighting occurs daily beyond Liao Yang, but that a decisive battle is not expected for some time. The Japanese plan of campaign is regarded at Mukden as now having been definitely disclosed. They occupy the Liao Tung Peninsula in three divisions, between Nezgalen, (Nakwanling) and Wafangtien, with a line of communication by the coast to their position at Feng Wang Cheng.

The Standard's Tokio correspondent mentions the discredited rumor that Gen. Stoessel proposed a surrender on the conditions that the whole of the Port Arthur garrison should be permitted to retire to Newchwang under arms.

RELIEF FORCE OF 40,000.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, June 4.—The Echo de Paris's St. Petersburg correspondent reaffirms his intelligence, previously telegraphed, that the Czar, adopting Viceroy Alexieff's views, orders Gen. Kouropatkin to send 40,000 men to the relief of Port Arthur.

OPINIONS IN LONDON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Despite contradictory reports, it is now generally believed that Gen. Kouropatkin has decided to part his army, to move against the Japanese protecting Gen. Oku's rear, in the hope of relieving the strain on Port Arthur, although he himself, with his main force, is remaining at Liao Yang. From Mukden, Tokio and elsewhere reports of daily fighting in the northern part of Liao Tung Peninsula are continually received, although of the composition of the Russian forces engaged little can be learned, as the accounts from Newchwang, Chefoo and other places are seldom wholly reliable.

It is emphatically denied from good sources in St. Petersburg that Gen. Kauropatkin is taking such a hazardous if not foolhardy step as to himself move southward, with Gen. Kuroki ready to enwrap his left flank, but many sources there concur in the belief that he has probably sent a force to do its utmost to help Port Arthur garrison.

The best critical opinion here is that the Japanese have a division not far from Port Adams, holding a position where it can check any Russian southward advance, and holding Nanshan Hill position, Gen. Oku is quite safe, as far as it is able to keep him supplied. Russian troops south of Kaiping are accordingly regarded as being engaged in a hopeless effort, and as being in danger of being severely handled, if not cut off.

NEW RUSSIAN SQUADRON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to the National Zeitung, the new Russian Asiatic squadron will leave Cronstadt for the Far East between August 15 and 20. It will consist of eight battleships, three first-class and two second-class cruisers, the dispatch boat Sozetlana and more than a dozen auxiliary cruisers, ten of which have been taken from the Black Sea volunteer fleet. These latter have a speed of from 18 to 20 knots.

Enormous quays are being constructed at Cronstadt for the setting-out of the squadron. Five of the battleships are of the most modern description. Of the other three, the Navarin, built in 1891, and the Sissoi Weliki, built in 1894, have been completely modernized, and have a speed of 15½ knots.

WELL-POSTED CHINAMAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHEFOO, June 4, noon.—A Chinese passenger on a junk which has arrived here from Dalny states that he was at Port Arthur recently, and that the Russian force there, inclusive of sailors, numbers 40,000 men only. The four larger vessels of the Russian fleet are undamaged, but all the others are in the hands of repairers. The Japanese have restored order at Dalny and Tallenwan and have driven out the bandits. Dalny, according to the passenger's story, was not badly damaged by fire. Only the old town was destroyed.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, June 3, 6:30 p.m.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The total of the Japanese casualties at the battle of Nanshan Hill on May 26, is 4304. They are divided as follows: Thirty-one officers, including one major and five seargeant majors, and 713 non-commissioned officers and men killed; 100 officers, including one colonel, one major and twelve seargeant majors and 3460 non-commissioned officers and men wounded.

BALTIC FLEET'S PREPARATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—Russian naval contractors have been advised that final preparations for the Baltic fleet must be completed by the first week of August, says a Times dispatch from Paris. This information is supplemented by another dispatch from St. Petersburg, suggesting that the fleet perhaps will not start at all if Port Arthur falls into the hands of the Japanese.

Another St. Petersburg telegram says that two submarines will be started for the Far East today. Two others will start within a fortnight, and two more within a month.

RUSSIA'S NEW TREATIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3, 12:58 p.m.—It is authoritatively stated that no negotiations have yet begun looking to a new commercial treaty between Russia and Great Britain. The negotiations for a treaty to allow firms in the United States to sue in the courts of Russia and the United States respectively have been completed, and the treaty probably will be signed by Foreign Minister Lamsdorff and Ambassador McCormick in a few days. Under the existing Russian law, United States corporations can be sued, but cannot sue in the courts of the empire.

CHINESE TAKE ROUBLES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIAO YANG, June 3.—The Chinese are again willing to accept Russian paper roubles.

MOVING ON PING YANG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL (Korea) June 3, 5 p.m.—It is reported that 300 Cossacks are moving on Ping Yang from the east coast of Korea. The nature of the country through which the Cossacks must pass practically prohibits travel except by the regular roads, which, at best, are mere mountain trails.

RUSSIANS AT HAM HEUNG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, June 3, 8 p.m.—The Japanese Consul at Gensan (Wonson) wires that 291 Russians arrived at Ham Heung yesterday.

HAYASHI TO VISIT JAPAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, June 3, 5 p.m.—While there is no absolute confirmation of the report that Japanese Minister Hayashi is to visit Japan soon, yet is is believed to be probable, as the Japanese government undoubtedly wishes to consult him. Owing to his long diplomatic residence in Korea, Minister Hayashi is regarded as a most competent authority on prevailing conditions in Seoul. The Japanese legation has already submitted to the home government suggestions on a future policy to be pursued by Japan toward Korea.

The Tokio Cabinet's present consideration of the peninsula problem, it is hoped, will shortly result in outlining plans for future relations with Korea.

ENVOY FROM THE MIKADO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, June 3, 5 p.m.—Col. Miamoto of the Emperor of Japan's household is expected to visit the Japanese army in Korea soon. He will personally represent the Emperor and carry to the soldiers inspiring and complimentary messages from the Emperor.

WANT THEIR RIGHTS.

International Woman Suffrage Conference at Berlin Organizes World-wide League.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, June 3.—The International Woman Suffrage Conference, called by the International Woman Suffrage Committee, with headquarters in the United States, met here today for the purpose of organizing an international league for the promotion of woman suffrage. Delegates were present from Great Britain, France, Germany, Holland, Sweden, Austria-Hungary, Switzerland, Denmark and New Zealand. Miss Susan B. Anthony accepted the presidency of the league, but announced that she would leave the actual work of presiding to Mrs. Catt of Wyoming.

Dr. Anita Augspurgh, a German delegate, remarked that the foundation of the International League for Woman's Suffrage was a historical event. She especially thanked Miss Anthony for undertaking a long journey across the ocean at her advanced age to preside at the foundation of the league.

The platform, which was then read, declares that men and women were born equally free and independent members of society, and the natural relationship of the sexes is one of reciprocity and common effort. The suppression of the liberty of one sex inevitably injures the other, thus causing damage to all humanity. Self-determination in the home and state is the inalienable right of every normal adult person, hence woman as a class and as an individual does not owe obedience to the state or to her husband. Every government taxing women without permitting suffrage exercises a tyranny irreconcileable with justice. Suffrage is the only means for asserting the personal rights which the American Declaration of Independence recognized as inviolable, and all modern constitutions accept the same position. Constitutional states must therefore grant suffrage irrespective of sex.

HOMESTEAD BARGAINS.

Two Million Acres of Lands to be Offered at Auction by the Government for Indians' Benefit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Within the next six weeks the government is to offer a bargain lot of rich homesteads, consisting of 2,000,000 acres of forest and rich agricultural lands in Oregon, North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Montana. Every holder is to be limited to 160 acres, and every precaution has been taken to shut out corporations and land speculators.

A new feature is that the land will be offered at auction, and the government expects to realize on the average $4 an acre for the best half of the offerings. The sale will be regulated by the new land laws passed by the last Congress. The money taken in is for the benefit of the Indians from whose reservations the lands are to be taken. The Indians will still have reserved quite a large tract for each member of the tribes. The money for the land will be given them in regular annuities. Old soldiers are to be given preference in the distribution.

The lands are located as follows: Red Lake reservation of 256,000 acres, in Minnesota; Rosebud reservation, 382,000 acres, in South Dakota; Devil's Lake reservation, 88,000 acres, in North Dakota; Crow reservations of 1,115,000 acres in Montana; Grande Ronde reservation, 27,000 acres, in Oregon.

The auction sale of Red Lake land begins Monday, June 20, on the ground, and will continue until the last acre has been disposed of. Headquarters for the sale will be at Thief River Falls. Registration for the Rosebud lands begins July 5 and ends July 23. Applicants may file their claims at any half-dozen towns in South Dakota. The drawings will begin on July 28. Bids for Grande Ronde lands will be opened August 8.

SIEZES HIS CHILDREN.

Nephew of Steel Manufacturer Phipps Takes Possession While Their Mother Sleeps.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—Lawrence Cowle Phipps, nephew of Henry Phipps, the original partner of Andrew Carnegie in the steel business and multi-millionaire of Pittsburgh, took his two children from their mother's custody this morning while his wife was asleep in her room in the Holland House.

Phipps, though pursued by his wife and caught up with in the Pennsylvania station in Jersey City, escaped with the children after a painful scene. He declared that his wife had brought the children to New York, and intended to take them to Europe, and that he was going to take them back to his home in Pittsburgh. He arrived there tonight with them.

Mrs. Phipps's lawyer was in consultation tonight with Assistant District Attorney Johnson. On her return from Jersey City Mrs. Phipps went to the New Netherland Hotel, where she will remain until she has decided on the court proceedings she will bring against her husband.

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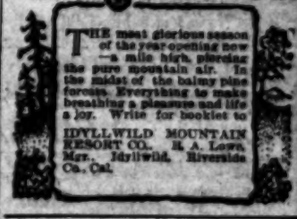

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Fatal Fire in the Old Hackberry, in Arizona.

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Move to Bring Political Conventions to the Coast.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three men lost their lives yesterday in the Old Hackberry Mine, in Big Bug District, about twenty miles southeast of Prescott. Fire started in the shaft house, destroying the building and passing into the shaft despite the most desperate efforts of the surface men. During the day, a good supply of water was secured and the fire in the upper part of the shaft was extinguished. Only two miners were underground at the time. They were Nason King and Perry Hawkins.

While there seemed not a doubt that they must be dead from the smoke and fumes, the shaft had not ceased blazing when Frank Kearney, a miner lately arrived from Congress, volunteered to go down. He was lowered to the two-hundred-foot level, when the rope above him caught fire and broke, precipitating him to the bottom of the shaft, more than a hundred feet deeper. During the afternoon, several more rescue parties were sent into the mine. One of them found King and Hawkins dead on the two-hundred-and-fifty-foot level.

Kearney's body could not be reached, but will probably be taken out tomorrow. Practically all work was suspended in the surrounding mines, the miners gathering at the Hackberry to do all that men could do for their comrades below.

TO SECURE CONVENTIONS.

PACIFIC COAST ACTIVITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Thomas Richardson, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress and manager of the Portland Commercial Club, arrived from Portland today. He comes to attend a meeting of the representatives of Western cities at the headquarters of the California Promotion Committee, tomorrow afternoon. The object of this meeting is to secure for the Pacific Coast conventions in 1905 by working with the delegates attending conventions held in St. Louis this year.

UNIQUE SUICIDE SUSPECTED.

SHOT HEARD, HOUSE BURNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERKELEY, June 3.—Mrs. Bertha Calhoun is supposed to have perished in a fire which destroyed her home on Telegraph avenue early this morning. A search for her remains is being made in the ruins of the cottage.

Mrs. Calhoun is said to have been despondent, and Prof. Putzker of the University of California declares that he heard a pistol shot during the progress of the fire. The cottage had been vacant, but Mrs. Calhoun is reported to have been seen in it last night, and a neighbor claims to have heard a cry of distress.

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EPPINGER'S RECEIVER SUES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Henry Wadsworth, receiver of Eppinger & Co., has filed two suits against the London, Paris and American Bank. One of the suits is to recover $23,619 deposited with the bank by the Eppingers between June and October, 1903, and the other is for $83,099, the value of 1,516,000 grain bags which the plaintiff says should be turned over to him by the institution for the benefit of the creditors of the Eppingers.

FAIL TO SET ASIDE SALE.

PRINCE DAVID'S WIFE'S SUIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, June 3.—The suit brought by Alice Campbell-Kawanakoa, wife of Prince David, and Maurel and Mary Campbell, against their mother, Abigail K. Campbell-Parker, and the other trustees of James Campbell, the millionaire Hawaiian planter, who died in Honolulu, April, 1900, to set aside the sale of the Hotel St. James property in this city, on the ground of fraud and conspiracy, was decided in favor of the defendants by Judge Rhodes today, who held that the complaint failed to state a cause of action.

The decree distributing to the trustees the proceeds of the sale, $152,572, is sustained.

STAGE HORSES DROWN.

PELLY RIVER'S RAPID RISE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three weeks ago, Whelan's roadhouse at Pelly Crossing was flooded by a rapid rise of Pelly River and the formation of ice. The water came up so rapidly as to flow into the bunks of the roadhouse, where men were asleep, before they knew of their danger.

J. Lott and Peter Smith, passengers with the stage drivers, Burwash and Haddock, escaped in their night clothes and made their way to the stables in a canoe. The teams were in the midst of the flood, seven horses being drowned. The mail was saved by hard work. The stage was en route from Dawson to White Horse.

CARRIED OFF ON ICE FLOE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Carried out from shore on an ice floe and spending two days without food was the experience in March of M. V. Smith, mail carrier between Nome and Council City. Smith was en route to Nome from Isaac's Point. Soon after he started across the ice in Norton Bay it moved out from the shore. That night and the following day he was cut off from communication and expected to perish from cold or hunger. The following afternoon Smith was espied by natives, who launched a boat and went to his rescue.

POURING THROUGH GAP.

LEVEE BREAK UNCLOSED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, June 3.—The break in the levee at the Edward's place a short distance south of this city, is not yet closed, but the contractors hope to close it next week. The crevasse is still fifty feet wide and twenty feet deep and a roaring stream is pouring through the gap.

The river rose eighteen inches at the break today on account of the north wind driving the water down stream. This was a severe test on the piles, but they stood well. One cable was snapped by the force of the current, but two larger cables were immediately bent on and the work proceeded with.

There are three barge loads of rock ready to be dumped into the crevasse and two more are expected tomorrow.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Tyler Beach.

SAN JOSE, June 3.—Tyler Beach, one of California's first hotel keepers and a well-known figure in Central California, is dead. He came from New York to the Coast in 1854. He was 72 years of age.

Abolish Vertical Writing.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—The Board of Education today decided to abolish the vertical system of handwriting, "as being awkard, unnatural and inconsistant." It was decided to adopt for the public schools the Curtiss semi-vertical free-hand system.

Ten Thousand for Birdie.

PORTLAND (Or.) June 3.—The Jury in the United States District Court tonight awarded Birdie McCarthy $10,000 damages against James D. Heyford, a wealthy Southern Oregon stockman, for breach of promise. Miss McCarthy is a school teacher, and came to Oregon from Wisconsin. This is the second trial of the case. On a former trial she was awarded $19,000.

Morris Exonerated.

CHICO, June 3.—A Coroner's jury called to investigate the death of Wade Hampton, who was disembowled here yesterday by Fred M. Morris in the course of a fight with knives, exonerated Morris, the testimony showing that Hampton was the aggressor and that Morris was pursued by him for several blocks. Morris was released from prison.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A day of extreme heat wound up tonight with a heavy thunder and rainstorm. There were more storms in sight tonight than the weather man could enter on his map. Warnings have been flashed around the lakes. The temperature today reached the maximum of 87 degs.; the minimum was 59 degs. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 54; Bismarck, 52; Cairo, 70; Cheyenne, 44; Cincinnati, 84; Cleveland, 76; Concordia, 66; Davenport, 72; Denver, 48; Des Moines, 72; Detroit, 72; Dodge City, 64; Dubuque, 68; Duluth, 44; El Paso, 90; Edmonton, 56; Escanaba, 56; Grand Rapids, 78; Green Bay, 62; Helena, 54; Huron, 60; Indianapolis, 82; Kansas City, 72; Marquette, 44; Memphis, 68; Milwaukee, 56; Minnedosa, 50; North Platte, 58; Omaha, 68; Rapid City, 52; St. Louis, 72; St. Paul, 64; Sault Ste. Marie, 62; Springfield, Ill., 68; Springfield, Mo., 70; Wichita, 68.

CHARMED AWAY THEIR JEWELS.

Jewels worth $1000 to be made into a fetich of charm and $500 as pay for her services were given to Martha Sabia, a clairvoyant, by Mrs. Fannie Moul and Mrs. F. J. App, according to the story they told to the police today before they realized that they had been made the victims of a swindle. Now that they are seeking to recover their property, the clairvoyant has disappeared.

CALLED IN MRS. YATES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. Yates paid a remarkable tribute to the loyalty and devotion of his wife today. The crisis of the hard-fought Republican State Convention came with the conference between Yates, Deneen, Hamlin and Sherman at the executive mansion. Mrs. Yates was called into the conference and the situation explained. She promptly agreed that the time had come for her husband to withdraw from the contest.

TEXAS DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tomorrow, throughout Texas, Democratic primaries will be held to select delegates to county conventions. The Hearst men will make a fight in about a dozen of the larger counties for representation on those delegations, and some few counties will fall in their column, but the large majority of the counties in Texas will either send Parker men, or remain silent as to choice.

WILL ABANDON HIS KINGDOM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MONTREAL (Que.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Menier, the French chocolate king, has become tired of his island kingdom of Anticosti, and has announced that he is going to abandon his principality next autumn. Since Menier bought Anticosti he has spent $1,500,000 on it, and there has been a deficit every year.

ORDERS MINING SUSPENDED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ESCANABA (Mich.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because of the refusal of the Escanaba Union of the dock workers to accept a new scale proposed by the Northwestern Railway of Michigan, orders were issued by General Agent A. H. Barr to managers of mines at Iron Mountain and Crystal Falls this morning to suspend mining operations at once.

ILLINOIS D. A. R.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MOLINE (Ill.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the election of officers, the State conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution adjourned today. Mrs. C. H. Deere, State regent, was indorsed for vice-president-general, to succeed Mrs. M. T. Scott of Bloomington.

SARAH SHAFER MURDER CASE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is believed that the grand jury has found an important clew in the Sarah Shafer murder case at Bedford, and that one or more women are implicated. Attorney Bundy, who became prostrated while seeking for the murderers of Miss Shafer, died in Dr. Fletcher's sanitarium in this city. Dr. Fletcher says that on his deathbed Bundy declared to him that a woman committed the crime.

KILLED AT HAMMER-THROW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAD AXE (Mich.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the High School field sports today, one of the contestants in the hammer-throw lost control and threw the hammer into a crowd of spectators. Andrew Frost, 14 years old, was struck and will die.

NATIONS LOOK TO UNITED STATES.

PEACE CONGRESS SIMILAR TO THAT AT THE HAGUE.

Congressman Bartholdt Tells How Well His Bluff to Secure Meeting of the Inter-Parliamentary Union at St. Louis Worked—Proceedings at Lake Mohonk.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MOHONK LAKE (N. Y.) June 3.—The conference on international arbitration today adopted a platform of principles which appeals to all persons to coöperate in diffusing such a righteous sentiment and feeling toward all classes, conditions and races of men that international arbitration will be resorted to as the best means of securing international justice whenever diplomacy fails. The leading speakers today were Justice Brewer of the United States Supreme Court and Congressman Bartholdt of Missouri.

Representative Bartholdt, founder and president of the American group in Congress on international arbitration, explained briefly the formation of the group. The inter-parliamentary union will hold its next meeting in St. Louis in September, and Mr. Bartholdt said that when in Vienna last year he extended the invitation for this meeting. He did so entirely without authority.

"I had to fall back on the great American game of bluff," he said "and fortunately the bluff was not called. The delegates of Denmark, who had presented an invitation from their parliament and a written guarantee from their government of a large entertainment fund, gracefully withdrew Copenhagen, and the conference decided unanimously to hold this year's meeting in the United States. But while the delegates were cheering I suddenly realized the size of the elephant on my hands, and I do not exactly remember how I came back to the United States, by steamer, by rail or other conveyance.

"Night and day I saw nothing but that elephant until I called on the President, whom I felt like hugging when he readily consented to help me 'make good' by calling attention to the importance of the pending conference in his next message to Congress. You know he has kept his word. Then came the organization of the American group and the passage by Congress of my joint resolution extending an official invitation to the European parliamentarians composing the members of the union and making an appropriation of $50,000 to defray the expenses incident to the conference. Consequently the visit of several hundred of the most distinguished legislators of the world is now an assured fact."

LOOK TO UNITED STATES.

Continuing, Mr. Bartholdt said: "There is no question but what all other nations look with hope and expectancy to the United States. They feel how thoroughly it would accord with our plain institutions if the American government would take the lead in this question and call, for instance, a second congress similar to that at The Hague, with a view to the negotiation of arbitration treaties between the different countries and to the renewal of the discussion of the reduction of armaments.

"This, indeed, will be the proposition of the American group at the St. Louis conference, and a concurrent resolution is already pending in Congress, requesting the President to convene such a new world parliament. If emanating from the United States, the acceptance of the invitation to the other powers will be almost certain, and especially if by the adoption of this American proposition at St. Louis the members of the inter-parliamentary union will use their influence with their respective governments in this direction.

"Then the greatest of all steps forward will have been taken. Law and justice will be substituted for brute force in international relations, as it was done long ago in civilized society, and all mankind will rejoice in this crowning glory of modern civilization."

PRESIDENT'S TELEGRAM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MOHONK LAKE (N. Y.) June 3.—During the afternoon Judge Gray, the presiding officer, received the following telegram from the President:

"Permit me to congratulate the International Arbitration Conference and to express my earnest hope for the success of all efforts of this kind to promote peace and justice among the nations."

To this message the conference replied, expressing its thanks and appreciation.

"The Award of the Alaskan Boundary Tribunal" was discussed by Robert Lansing, associate counsel before that tribunal.

A resolution was adopted indorsing the sentiments expressed by President McKinley in his annual message of 1898, and by the President of 1903, in favor of the exemption of unoffending private property at sea from capture during war. The resolution asked that a committee memorialize the President, Congress and the Secretary of State to call an international congress to consider the exemption of private property and to formulate a code of war on sea.

CAN CHASTISE A WIFE.

Louisville Judge Upholds the Old English Law When Applied to Indiscreet Married Women.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Police Judge John J. Riley today recognized the old English custom allowing a husband the privilege of whipping his wife, and as a result Squire Smith, who was before the court on a charge of wife-beating, was dismissed.

Attorney Morgan read the law, as formerly practiced in England, and spoke at length on the privilege of a husband. The evidence in the case on trial showed that Smith had overheard a conversation between his wife, Mrs. Annie Smith, and another man, and accordingly he administered a whipping to her and admonished her not to talk to other men in future. When Smith was arrested, he announced his intention of basing his defense on a man's right to beat his wife when she sufficiently offends. He is a well-known farmer, and was never known before to strike his wife.

"I recognize the right of any husband, whose record is otherwise clear," said Judge Riley, in dismissing the case, "to chastise the wife where her conduct is offensive. There is no other way by which he can censure her properly for certain acts discreditable to her and to him. I would not punish this man for acting as he did."

ENGINEER INGRAHAM'S FUNERAL

CLEVELAND (O.) June 3.—The funeral of T. Ingraham, first engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who dropped dead in Los Angeles, took place today, services being held in the First Congregational Church of which the deceased was a member. The Knights Templar ritual was used. Many members of the Brotherhood were in attendance at the services. The floral offerings were in great profusion. Burial was in Lake View Cemetery.

AESTERN EXCURSIONS

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Demurrers Sustained.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Demurrers in the case of John C. Gore, Jr., and Hamilton Gay Howard vs. the United States, David Jacks and the Pacific Improvement Company, have been sustained by United States Circuit Judge Morrow and the case has been dismissed. The suit was brought to recover possession of the Jacks ranch in Monterey county, consisting of about 5000 acres of valuable land.

Botkin Motion Continued.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Superior Judge Cook today continued the hearing of a motion for a new trial in the case of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin until August 8.

Private Boarding House Burns.

SAN JOSE, une 3.—The Erkson, a two-story dwelling at the corner of Third and Julian streets, owned and occupied by Mrs. Laure Erkson as a private boarding-house, was burned today by a defective flue. Loss, $5000; insurance $3500. Some of the lodgers also suffered considerable losses.

Hacked in Head by Highbinder.

SALINAS, June 3.—Ah Ying, a Chinese contractor living near Castroville, has been hacked in the head and neck by Ah Shuey, an alleged highbinder from San Francisco. The weapon used was a hatchet. The assailant was overpowered by other Chinamen. He soon made his escape from them but was recaptured. The wounded man may die. The cause of attack is unknown.

Eppinger Jury Still Incomplete.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—In the Eppinger case today a jury had not been obtained at the hour of recess. The witnesses were excused until Monday, counsel agreeing that no testimony would be taken before that date.

He Was a Member of the Union.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—H. W. Charles, a carpenter, 45 years of age, committed suicide by hanging himself from a tree in the park. He was a member of the union.

Hale's

15c Moline 10c

Special for Saturday. The best 15c quality of Moline, in black or white, at 10c.

25c Handkerchiefs 14c

Over 250 dozen of the daintiest 25c handkerchiefs at 14c each. Some are hemstitched, some scalloped edge, some with lace edges, all the newest and prettiest patterns.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

50c Women's Neckwear 35c

The newest style in white stocks, with Fifth ave. bow attached. Sell everywhere at 50c. Hale's Saturday 35c.

15c Collar Foundations 7c

Everybody knows the regular price of collar foundations is 15c. Over 300 of them on sale Saturday at 7c.

75c Crush Leather Belts 50c

Women's crush leather belts, 3½ inches wide, the new harness clasp, new, soft, pliable leather. Come in gray, brown, tan, white, red or black.

Crush Silk Belts 50c

Swell styles in the new crush silk belts, silk lined, pretty new buckles, almost all colors.

35c Men's Hosiery 20c

Stylish Drop Stitch Effects

We had the good fortune to buy about 100 dozen men's hose in fine luster lisle. Come in black, tan, dark and medium blue, with drop-stitch effect. Regular 35c quality at 20c.

Royal Tooth Powder 10c

Extra big metal jars of the famous Royal tooth powder. On sale at Hale's for 10c. This powder is an exceptionally fine quality, delightfully flavored, and of an antiseptical and preservative quality. It both cleanses and protects the teeth from decay. Made with a telescope top. More tooth powder and better tooth powder than you buy ordinarily for 25c.

Royal Face Powder 10c

An exquisite face powder of the finest quality, perfumed with violet. Comes in a large-sized case with perforated top. A finer face powder than is usually sold at 25c. Hale's price 10c.

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Reeve's Almond Cream 25c
Before going down to the beach tomorrow use this and you'll not get sunburned—a most grateful application—removing pimples, preventing chapping, alleviating the sting of insect bites; it is highly valuable.

Mulls Grape Tonic
The Owls Prices 40c and 85c
A quick permanent cure for constipation, torpid liver, and similar ailments—a crushed fruit tonic that is pleasant to the palate and gentle in its action. Regularly 50c and $1.00 a bottle. In "The Owl" stores only 40c and 85c.

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Sozodont, regular price 25-75c. Owl price	20-50c	Hinds Honey and Almond Cream, regular price 50c. Owl price	40c
Lyons Tooth Powder, regular price, 25c. Owl price	15c	Packer's Tar Soap, regular price 25c. Owl price	15c
Eau de Quinine, regular price 50c-$1.00. Owl price	40-80c	Pears Soap, unscented, regular price 20c. Owl price	15c 3 for 25c
Anita Cream, regular price 50c. Owl price	40c	Woodbury's Facial Soap, regular price 25c. Owl price	20c 3 for 50c
Euthymol Tooth Paste, regular price 25c. Owl price	20c	Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap, regular price 15c. Owl price	15c 3 for 25c
Arnica Tooth Soap, regular price 25c. Owl price	15c	Oriental Cream, regular price $1.50. Owl price	$1.10
Camelline, regular price 50c. Owl price	35c		
Malvina Cream, regular price 50c. Owl price	35c		

WASHINGTON.

OLD WORLD'S EYES OPENED.

They Behold the Prosperity of These United States.

Europe Concedes it is Due to Business Methods.

Californians for West Point. Postmasters Appointed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John P. Young, managing editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, has returned to Washington from an extensive European trip, and is now in Washington on his way to San Francisco. Mr. Young, who has earned the right to talk on economic and political topics, he having written several standard works upon these topics, had some interesting observances to make today on the attitude of Europe toward financial and political conditions and prospects in the United States.

"I failed to discover," said Mr. Young, "that the people of continental Europe are much better informed about us than they were before we became quite so prominent as we are now in the affairs of the world. In England, people are well-informed about us and our affairs, but both in England and on the continent I found abounding faith in the future prosperity of this country. They realize that, at the present time, we are having an industrial breathing spell, and, singularly enough, well-informed people on the other side do not view the decreased activity here with, anywhere near the amount of seriousness that some of our own people view it with. In England this particularly is the case, notwithstanding that British investors were pretty sorely hit by the great decline in the shares of the United States Steel Corporation and by virtual collapse of the shipping trust, both Morgan organizations. They appear to have dismissed these two as a piece of bad business and bad financiering on the part of Morgan. The credit of general business in the United States has not, to my mind, suffered in England in consequence of these incidents in 'high finance,' but the standing of Morgan there has suffered very severely. I am not sure but that it has suffered beyond repair.

"The Old World is not expecting a business panic nor a long period of business depression in the United States. People there see with remarkable clearness that our prosperity of the last six or seven years was builded for the most part upon a solid foundation. They are surprised that it continued on the boom for so long a time. More than that, they are surprised at the present lessening activity. I did not hear a note of alarm anywhere; instead, my observation was that Europe expects us to go higher on the rebound than we ever have been before.

"It is surprising how little Europe in general knows about our politics, but it is surprising, too, that the sentiment of the substantial and conservative element runs all one way regarding our coming election. They want to see Roosevelt reelected. The expressions in this regard we are practically unanimous. This may be in part because the very word 'democracy' signifies to the European mind Socialism and a general disturbance of the regular order of things. But more than that, the people who do not know what the great political parties of this country stand for are pretty well acquainted with the personality of President Roosevelt. They admire him, and hope for his success."

NO FIGHT ON CORTELYOU.
FORMER STORIES DENIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The known wish of the President that Secretary Cortelyou shall act as chairman of the National Committee during the coming campaign may not be altogether agreeable to some of the older party leaders who have been connected with the management of the previous campaigns, but the idea that the new National Committee, after its selection at the national convention, should deliberately organize in opposition to the wishes of the candidate for the Presidency, has not been seriously proposed by anybody.

In the last twenty years, it has been the acknowledged province of the party candidate for President to select the managers of the Presidential campaign. Blaine, in 1884, named Benjamin F. Jones of Pittsburgh, who had never taken any part whatever in politics. Harrison, in 1888, selected Senator Quay, and in 1892 selected Thomas H. Carter. McKinley in 1896 and in 1900 selected Mark Hanna, and the 1900 the selection was understood long before the time of the nominating convention. There was no criticism. They were all taken as matters of course. The reports of an organized campaign against Secretary Cortelyou by Senator Spooner, Aldrich, Penrose, Kean and Fairbanks have no foundation in fact.

All these Senators were in consultation with the President at different times with regard to the organization of the National Committee, and while not all of them were aware that Secretary Cortelyou might finally be chosen as the one best fitted, under the conditions, to manage the campaign, they are all ready to see Cortelyou chairman, and will cooperate heartily with him in the campaign.

CANAL TARIFF REGULATIONS.
SUMMED UP FOR PRESIDENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is now "up to" the President to decide what tariff regulations shall govern the isthmian canal. The Canal Commission and Treasury authorities have canvassed the matter very thoroughly and the result of the discussion has been summed up for the President's consideration. Rear-Admiral Walker and his colleagues are desirous naturally of building the canal as cheaply as practicable, and to this end have entered a strong plea for free trade in all apparatus and commodities needed in the progress of the work. On the other hand, the Secretary of the Treasury is a very rigid protectionist, and has insisted from the start that it would be a mistake to give foreign manufacturers an advantage over domestic manufacturers by allowing them to send in their steam dredges, soil carriers, cement, etc., as well as flour and other provisions needed for feeding laborers at prices with which Americans could not hope to compete.

The Treasury theory is that the protective idea ramifies through every department of our national activities, and that all interests affected by it should stand or fall together. It has also been suggested that it would be a bad notion to put into the people's minds, that the government is not willing to take for its own enterprises the same medicine it forces upon private undertakings, but that it should show its faith in its own promises by taxing itself as readily as it does the individual citizen. Back of all these political and economic considerations, moreover, lies the administrative fear of the consequences of having a different system in the zone from that which prevails in the United States.

The Panama Republic has a tariff system, but it is wholly dependent on executive decrees, and may be changed at any moment. Besides, under the de Lima decision of the Supreme Court, it is feared that if there were free trade in the canal zone, a thing entered there could be brought to the United States and entered free.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Secretary Hitchcock Returns.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Secretary Hitchcock has returned to Washington after an absence of ten days spent at the St. Louis Exposition.

Duty on Chilean Wines.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular of instructions to customs officials assessing a countervailing duty on wines and rectified alcohol imported from Chile.

California Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California postmasters were appointed today: Chino, San Bernardino county, Morton E. Simmons; Reward, Inyo county, Anthony M. Bonner; Thermalito, Butte county, Catherine Marchintone.

Supreme Master Workman Miller.

BATTLE CREEK, (Mich.) June 3.—Supreme Master Workman H. Miller, of the Ancient Order of United Workmen is dead at a sanitarium here from kidney trouble aged 61 years.

Funds for Barracks.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Secretary Taft today approved the allotments made by the quartermaster of the funds for barracks and quarters at various army posts and forts, to be expended during the fiscal year, beginning July 1: Fort Rosecrans, Cal., $227,150; Fort Rosecrans, Cal., $5000; enlisting posts in Alaska, $150,000; Fort Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, $173,750; Fort Mason, Cal., $50,000 and Whipple Barracks, Arizona, 187,500.

Cadets for West Point.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The cadets designated to enter the West Point Military Academy this month were announced at the War Department today. Among them are the following:

California: Robert S. A. Dougherty, George S. Patton, Jr., Edward A. Everts, Earl J. Atkinson.

At large: Henry E. Ayers, Charles H. Bonesteel, Simon D. Buckner, Philip Gordon, Charles L. O'Hall, W. C. Jacobs, Herman Kobbe, John C. F. Tillson, Jr., William H. Sage, Jr., Rodney H. Smith, Robert H. Fletcher.

Shaking-out of Shook.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Secretary Taft decided to recommend to the President against the reinstatement of John M. Shook in the army, which was requested by all the members of the Kansas delegation in Congress. Shook was formerly with the Thirty-third Volunteer Infantry in the Philippines. Afterward he was appointed a second lieutenant in the regular army. While stationed at Boston, he was tried by courtmartial in a case involving a scandal, but was acquitted. When he was examined for promotion, the board of examiners reported that he was morally and physically unfit to be made a first lieutenant, and he was discharged from the service.

ELIXER WAS A WONDER.

Woman Takes Dose and Gives Seven New York Policemen Hard Tussle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—Use of some remarkable stimulant caused a strange scene in Sixth avenue. From a bottle, the label of which marked it as containing an "elixir of youth," the dose being one teaspoonful every two hours, a woman of evident refinement and about forty years of age, took a long drink while standing on the sidewalk near Fifth street. Her peculiar actions attracted the atention of a large crowd which soon grew to such proportions that the police reserves had to be called to clear the street-car tracks.

The "elixir" was a wonder worker. Five minutes after drinking the dose, the woman began to caper about like a child. She danced to the music of a street piano, played hide and seek and exhibited all the antics of a child. When the police arrived she beat one of them and exhibited remarkable strength. It required the combined efforts of seven officers to overcome the woman, and she was carried to the hospital, where doubts are expressed as to her recovery. No marks of identification were found.

THE GREAT WAR.

(Continued from First Page.)

in retreat, which, he says, was carried out with great coolness, thus accounting for the smallness of the Russian losses. Gen. Stoessel also says the enemy's losses must have run far into the thousands, the Japanese mortality in storming Nanshan Hill being frightful.

Gen. Stossel pays a high tribute to the Russian troops and refers in terms of the warmest praise to the skill and courage displayed by Gen. Fock, whom he recommends for the St. George's Cross. He does not mention that Fock was wounded, from which the General Staff asumes that the report to this effect was untrue.

As Gen. Stoessel especially praises a regiment which was not in Gen. Fock's division, the General Staff concludes therefrom that five regiments, or about 12,000 men, were engaged on the Russian side.

TRUSTING TO KOUROPATKIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3, 6:40 p. m.—The best-informed military circles attach no importance to the reports that Gen. Kouropatkin has detached a large force from his army at Liao Yang and districts southward to relieve Port Arthur, and it is distinctly denied that Emperor Nicholas personally ordered such a movement. It can be authoritatively stated that the Emperor's confidence in Kouropatkin is unshaken, and His Majesty is not attempting to interfere with his plan of campaign.

While no such army has been dispatched southward, it is natural that Kouropatkin will do all possible to harass Gen. Oku's rear. The railroad has been kept open as far as Vafangow, twenty-five miles above Kinchow, it is not unlikely that when the Japanese have failed to push through a line across the head of the Liao Tung Peninsula, several thousand Russian troops may be sent down the railroad to impede the Japanese operations and inflict as much damage as possible, as these could easily be withdrawn by railroad after the enemy threatened to cut the line of communications above. Even the loss of a few regiments would be considered cheap, if the Japanese operations against Port Arthur were thereby retarded for any appreciable time. However, it is realized that with the Japanese occupation of Port Dalny and Tallenwan as bases for landing siege guns, the small force above Kinchow could accomplish but little, and it is now more likely to be withdrawn, destroying the railroad as it retires northward. For strategic purposes, Kouropatkin may be trying to make the Japanese believe that a movement southward is contemplated, in order to divert Kuroki's attention in that direction.

The impression is being thrown out in certain quarters here that Kouropatkin is about to take the offensive, and that an engagement with Kuroki is imminent. But, so far as can be ascertained, there is no solid foundation for this. It is unquestionable, however, that the railroad is pouring troops into Manchuria at the rate of almost 2500 a day, and it will not be long at the present rate before the Russian commander-in-chief will be at least on equal terms with any force the enemy can bring against him.

The General Staff is keeping very dark about the whereabouts and purposes of the Cossacks reported to be working around Kuroki's rear and the number of the raiders operating in Korea.

OBITUARY.

Louis F. Chemin.

PORTLAND (Or.) June 3.—Louis F. Chemin, foreman of the Oregonian press room, and one of the widest known men in the newspaper business on the Pacific Coast, died suddenly early this morning, aged 65. He had been in the employ of the Oregonian for forty-two years. He had been in poor health for the past two years and was critically ill about a year. He put up the first perfecting press erected on the Pacific Coast.

LABOR.

BLOW MAY PROVE FATAL.

Unionite Strikes Contractor With His Hammer.

Was Trying to Induce Non-Union Men to Quit.

Strikers Stone Street Cars. Riots in Wisconsin.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, July 3.—Henry Wynn, a contracting carpenter, was brutally assaulted by a man who struck him with a hammer this afternoon. A carpenter named W. J. Evans, is charged with the crime. There is some dispute as to the identity of the assailant, but the officers are confident they are after the right man.

Evans is a member of the local carpenters' union. He attempted to persuade two non-union men employed by Contractor Wynn to quit work. Wynn told Evans to come around after working hours if he wanted to talk, and Evans, seizing a hammer, struck Wynn on the forehead, breaking a hole in the frontal bone. This afternoon an operation was performed on the injured man and a piece of the broken skull was removed.

Tonight Evans was arrested near his home in the eastern part of the city by Detective Naghel, who boarded a car for police headquarters with his prisoner. After riding a short distance, Evans jumped from the car and ran, but stopped when a shot was fired over his head. While the detective was in the act of placing handcuffs on him Evans struck him in the eye, knocking him down, ran into the yard of an old brewery and made his escape.

ATTACK NON-UNION MEN.
STRIKERS THREATEN THE LAW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

EVELETH (Minn.) June 3.—Several hundred Finnish miners who have been on strike against a reduction in pay attacked a gang of non-union men today and a running fight ensued. It became so desperate that the officers were compelled to fire at the rioters, and two were probably fatally wounded.

The strikers threatened trouble if a third man who was arrested is not given his liberty.

MILITIA DISPERSES STRIKERS.
TURBULENCE AT HOUSTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HOUSTON (Tex.) June 3.—There was some turbulence in the street-car strike today, several men being hurt, but none seriously, and tonight the Mayor ordered the militia to disperse a crowd which had gathered about the office of the street-car company. The militia is held at the Armory to await further orders.

The street-car company has secured a number of strike breakers, and a few cars were run during the day. In addition to the trainmen, each car carried half a dozen strike breakers armed with clubs.

French Situation Most Serious.

PARIS, June 4.—The situation developed in the ports and manufacturing towns in France by labor agitation, is becoming most serious. In Marseilles numbers were injured in a fight between strikers and non-unionists. As the carting and shipping of goods is becoming impossible, a general lockout is not improbable in Marseilles.

One Mahoney Makes Threats.

NEW YORK, June 3.—James T. Mahoney, secretary of the Atlantic Coast Seamen's Union, today declared that 18,000 men might be called out on strike if the demands of the men were not granted by the steamship companies. The strike would affect every coast plying steamer between Portland, Maine, and New Orleans. Beside the 18,000 men, many more could be called out on a sympathetic strike, according to Mahoney.

Strikers Stone Street Cars.

HOUSTON (Tex.) June 3.—The street-care company started to operate its cars today with non-union men. While stoning cars, several strike sympathizers were attacked by strike breakers and two men were seriously injured.

To Call Pennsylvania Strike.

TAMAQUA (Pa.) June 3.—A meeting of the three anthracite district boards has been called for Monday for the purpose of inaugurating a general strike of the 5000 men employed by the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company in the Panther Creek Valley. The meeting will be held in Lansford.

Miners to Affiliate.

DENVER, June 3.—The morning session of the convention of the Western Federation of Miners was taken up with the discussion of the report and recommendations of the committee on affiliation with other labor organizations. The report was adopted.

Protest Against Moyer Doing Time.

DENVER, June 3.—A mass meeting called by the Western Federation of Miners' officials for the purpose of protesting against the imprisonment of President Moyer, who is confined in the military prison at Telluride on the ground of "military necessity," was held at Coliseum Hall tonight.

MARQUIS INSOLVENT.

Angelesey, Who Succeeded to Titles and Estates Six Years Ago, Has Only Former Now.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—Creditors of the Marquis of Angelesey have held a meeting to discuss plans for securing a settlement, says a Herald dispatch from London. It was agreed ultimately that there should be a deed of assignment to the trustees for the benefit of the creditors, who would get practically an immediate payment of 15 cents on the dollar.

Lord Angelesey succeeded in 1898 to the title and estates, and within six years has incurred liabilities amounting to more than $2,720,000, but was fully insured for $1,250,000.

One of the creditors announced that the reason for convening the meeting was because writs had been issued against the Marquis. Judgment had been obtained against him, but Angelesey was abroad and out of the jurisdiction of the court.

Adverting to such figures as had been supplied, the speaker said it appeared that the unsecured liabilities were somewhere about $1,250,000. He said he was sorry to say that out of an income of $500,000 a very small margin was left for which to liquidate the liabilities. Among other things, he declared the Marquis had spent $1,065,000 for jewelry.

NICARAGUA'S RAILROADS.

Offset to the Loss of the Canal is Found in the Building of New Lines.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Señor Luis F. Corea, Nicaraguan Minister, is back in Washington with a tale of increased prosperity in his country and little disappointment because the isthmian canal was not built by that route.

"Nicaragua is not crying over spilled milk," said Señor Corea. "To the question what is to be done for the industrial development of the country without the hope of the canal, the government has responded manfully, 'build railways.' That is what we are doing. Last week there sailed from New York a party of engineers, who are to begin the initial work in laying tracks, commencing at San Miguelito, on the southeast shore of Lake Nicaragua.

"The eastern terminal of the line is to be Monkey Point, an excellent Atlantic port, shut in by hills and affording fine facilities for development. We expect to have the road itself finished and in operation across the isthmus within a year and a half.

"There is still another railroad being surveyed from Jinotega, in the western part of the republic, to Cape Gratmas, at the northeast corner. With these railroads, undoubtedly a new era of prosperity will open for Nicaragua. The coffee and banana interests will be benefited mostly."

WANTS HER BREAD.

Hannah Elias Not Afraid of Platt's Lawyers as Long as Substinence is Guarantsed Her.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Hannah Elias, the octoroon whom Octogenarian Platt is suing to recover nearly $700,000 alleged blackmail, still defies the officers to serve papers on her. The woman, however, gave out a statement this afternoon that she was willing to compromise, if left enough to keep a roof over her head and bread and butter in her mouth. She gave out the following for publication:

"I wish to say I am willing to be served with any papers that may have been issued against me. But first I seek an agreement with lawyers who are acting for Mr. Platt. If they are reasonable, there will be no trouble at all; I will appear in the case and I will tell all my story. I am confident that the public will turn to me after they have heard it.

"I am willing my lawyer should give out a list of banks and trust companies with whom my money is placed, but I first wish to make sure that I will not be cut off without a cent. I wish enough money to buy bread with."

HUNT DOWN NEGRO MURDERERS

GREENVILLE (Miss.) June 3.—John Simms, a prominent white planter of Trail Lake, and William Cato, his manager, were killed by two negroes, Samuel Clark and Van Horn, in a dispute over a small matter. The negroes escaped, but Van Horn was captured and taken to Leland, where he probably will be lynched. Clark returned to Trail Lake, where he was shot and killed by Crow, the bookkeeper for Simms. The posse which arrested Van Horn shot and killed another negro named Mayfield, thinking he was Clark.

STRATTON ESTATE SUED.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—A suit against the estate of Winfield Scott Stratton, the late Colorado multi-millionaire, was brought in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals from the United States Court at Denver, today. The case is one in which Stratton's Independence Limited Company seeks to recover $4,000,000 from the Stratton estate. The company alleges that it paid Stratton $10,000,000 for a mine which proved to be worth only $4,000,000. The decision at Denver was in favor of the estate and the appeal is brought to St. Louis.

GETS PH.D. FOR STUDYING PIG.

CHICAGO, June 3.—By experimenting for a year with a guinea pig, and writing a thesis of 5000 words on her studies, Miss Bessie Allen, a student at the University of Chicago, has passed the cross-examination by the faculty and will next week receive her degree of doctor of philosophy. Her thesis on "The Psychology of the Guinea Pig" was her final test. The result of Miss Allen's experiment is that she has classed the guinea pig among the animals of the medulated nervous system. Her experiments are another proof that animals of the sheathed or medulated nervous systems are born with their mental faculties well developed. Their memory is perfect almost from birth.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Spalding, C. L. Bagley and wife; Union Square, Mrs. A. Burgwald; Holland, A. H. Heber; Victoria, W. Fricks; Waldorf, E. P. Clark and wife; Manhattan, H. C. Lee.

Intercollegiate Track Meet.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Everything is in readiness for the intercollegiate conference track meet on Marshal Field tomorrow. The team from Michigan University is the favorite. It is the general opinion that the admission of colleges outside of the "Big" will cut into Michigan's score so much that the University of Chicago may have a chance to win. Stanford University and Purdue are credited with a certainty of winning several events. Because of a large number of trial heats that are necessary in two or three of the events, it has been decided to hold a few of the preliminaries in the morning, although the meet proper is not scheduled to begin until 1:30 o'clock p.m.

FREIGHT RATES TO COAST WILL STAY UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Owing to the uncertainty regarding west-bound freight rates, local shippers have lately refrained from ordering consignments, preferring to wait for the reduced rates which it is claimed would shortly be announced. On this subject, William Sproule, traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, said today:

"There is to be no reduction in transcontinental rates to the Coast."

"Some misapprehension apparently has arisen over the result of the recent conference betwen the traffic officials of the northern lines and the merchants of Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane regarding the Spokane rate situation. The merchants of Spokane want Spokane made a terminal point and thus be placed on an equal footing with Portland, Seattle and Tacoma, in the matter of west-bound transcontinental rates. This is opposed by the merchants of Portland, Seattle and Tacoma, and they went to the Chicago conference to defeat the aim of Spokane.

"I do not kno wwhat was determined at the Chicago conference, but if there is to be any readjustment of rates to Spokane it does not mean that there is to be any readjustment of rates to Pacific Coast terminal points.

"In other words, the idea that west-bound rates to California are to be affected in any particular is totally without foundation."

SURVEYING IN STOCKTON.
WESTERN PACIFIC ACTIVITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, June 3.—Western Pacific surveyors are in town today, running a transit party, no levels being taken. The surveyors are under the immediate direction of Carpenter, chief of camp, but the division engineer of the company, C. S. Rogers of San Francisco, was also in town.

Members of the surveying party said they had been running a line to this city from Walnut Grove, and that at the same time they started out another party left Walnut Grove, headed for Sacramento. A third party is in the field further north.

PITTSBURGH-TOLEDO SYNDICATE
WILL BE WOUND UP MONDAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—The Pittsburgh-Toledo syndicate, which advanced $20,000,000 for the construction of the Wabash extension into Pittsburgh, will be wound up next Monday, according to the Herald, and the control of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Company will be turned over to the Wabash Railroad. The Terminal company is a connection of the three small lines which constituted the Pittsburgh extension and the extensive terminal facilities in that city.

The syndicate in whose hands the construction of the line rested was pledged to advance $20,000,000, of which $14,000,000 has already been paid. When the balance is paid, Monday, the Wabash will take title. Members of the syndicate will then receive $12,400,000 first-mortgage bonds, $20,000,000 second-mortgage bonds and $10,000,000 of Wabash common stock. The Wabash Railroad will then take over all the capital stock of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Company, which is now $10,000,000, and also $6,000,000 first-mortgage bonds.

Gets Into Mississippi Valley.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The directors of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad today voted to take from the treasury $1,000,000 of 4 per cent. refunding bonds, the proceeds of which will be used to reimburse the company for advances made on account of improvements on the property. The directors ratified the traffic agreement for the joint use of the St. Louis and Iron Mountain lines, which gives the St. Louis and San Francisco system entrance into the Mississippi Valley and into New Orleans.

Harriman Officials to Confer.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—C. H. Markham, general manager of the Southern Pacific company; J. H. Wallace, chief engineer of the maintenance of way, and his assistant, J. D. Isaacs, have gone to Chicago to attend a conference of the officials of the Harriman lines. During the meeting they will consider the adoption of a common standard for locomives, cars, tracks and roadbeds.

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A stunning performance, a magnificent display of muscular young manhood, a revelation in training and the results to be attained thereby, was the annual display of the members of the gymnasium classes of the Young Men's Christian Association at Cumnock Hall last evening.

There were dumb bell drills, there were feats on the horse and the horizontal bar, there were fencing and mat exercises, there were flying ring movements where men went cleaving the air as though it was their natural element, there were human pyramids showing wondrous muscular control, there were spectacular acrobatic feats by two of the members, there were wand drills, and then there was that beautiful novelty, the electric club swinging, where the clubs in the hands of the class were huge electric bulbs glowing with red, blue and white lights describing fiery ring stars and every pyrotechnic perfection; and through all the evening of unique entertainment the Association orchestra, led by W. H. Mead supplied the stirring enthusiasm of inspiring music.

The entertainment was opened by a fine selection by the orchestra, and then came a dumb bell drill by the members of the advanced school boys' class which was a fine display of the younger boys' work in this line and the effect was heightened by the bright suits which were worn. Side horse exercises followed, by J. F. Torry, B. T. Story, G. A. Mattern, H. Ivey, O. Ivey, T. B. Beavis, C. L. Young, R. Shotwell, W. W. Woodard and L. H. Mahood.

L. F. Reed and William Newman followed this with a fencing bout which showed such realistic lunging and guarding that, only the presence of mask and shield, and button on foil, made it a performance without fatalities.

One of the finest evidences of the training of the muscles and of the art of perfect poise was in the pyramids which were fine from a spectacular point of view as well, and which were built up so quickly and surely by those taking part. These were F. Hallam, A. G. Graham, C. Littlepage, W. H. Loomis, L. Aluzet, H. Bittman, E. Bennett, H. Smith, J. D. Foss and L. L. Perine. The audience clapped and cheered and continued to applaud with such enthusiasm that a few of them must surely be suffering from the effects of their admiration.

A clever costume recital was then given, the "Conspiracy" from Julius Cæsar, "the lean and hungry" Cassius being well enacted by R. A. Kent, and the noble Brutus by George Hoffman.

Long horse exercises, very jolly and taking, were given by members of the students and evening classes, and this was followed by an overture "Lust Spiel" by the orchestra.

The mat exercises were especially admired, some young colossus arranging himself to be played a sort of leap frog over while he was standing erect and then he simply threw the other members around like well trained acrobats with india rubber instead of muscles, india rubber that responded to the lightest touch with somersaults in the air, on the ground, backward, forward or any way. C. Littlepage, H. Bittman, A. Luzet, E. Bennett, A. G. Graham, H. Smith, A. G. Foss, and L. L. Perine took part in this exercise.

Members of the Monday and Thursday evening classes gave a fine wand drill, and then came the flying ring exercises which was one of the severest tests of muscular control and endurance and most entertaining to witness. W. H. Loomis, F. Hallam, E. Bennett, L. Aluzet, H. Bittman, J. D. Foss and J. J. Rutherford gave this part of the programme.

The Glee club under the leadership of Mr. De Puy, made quite a hit in "Honey, I want you now" and responded to an encore that would have no denial with another negro melody.

Two of the young men who have become professionals, Dutton and Epee, gave an exhibition of acrobatic equilibrium, that was astonishing and elicited repeated applause.

One of the main attractions from a standpoint of novelty and beauty was electric club swinging which was given by C. B. Way, W. C. McKee, F. Saich, J. McReady, H. Mudd, C. McDowell, C. Dare, G. Adams, H. Weast and R. Dixon. Another number by the Glee Club and the concluding feature, high horizontal bar exercises, completed a rare exhibition. The first feature was given by A. C. Burmer, C. Littlepage, F. Hallam, W. H. Loomis, H. Bittman, H. Smith and L. L. Perine and it was a fitting conclusion to a performance which will make Los Angeles rather critical and hard to please in future when it comes to acrobatic or gymnasium shows. Mr. Price and his assistant Fr. Foss are the physical directors of the association.

COMMISSIONERS' RECEPTION.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Arrangements have been made for the reception of the visiting delegation of the Philippine Commissioners when they arrive, June 9. They will be met by the Business Men's Associations and officials of the War Department and escorted to the Arlington Hotel. In the evening there will be an official reception at the Corcoran Art Gallery, participated in by the officers of the district, the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association. Friday, there will be a formal welcome and luncheon given by the President. There will be a card reception and lawn fete in the White House grounds, attended by government officials and business men of Washington. In the evening, the Commissioners will be the guests of army and navy officers who knew them in the Philippines, at the Army and Navy Club.

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'Tain't th' heat that's goin' ter muss us,
Cose it couldn't ef it tried—
But th' fuss will all be started,
By that garl darn summer fly.

They will come to us in armies
Of er million, maybe more,
An' before th' summer's over,
Yer can bet yer'll feel darn sore.
Git yer cuss books out an' practice—
Fer yer'll surely haf ter swear,
When th' flies commence ter comin',
Yer will find them everywhere.

Yer can scatter 'round fly paper,
An' all such useless stuff,
But it's time and money wasted
Cose th' fly is up ter snuff.
Yer will always find him hungry,
In that line he's hard ter beat,
Fer th' critter don't do nothin'
But jes eat, an' eat, an' eat.

Yer will see him in yer 'lasses,
Yer will find him in yer cake.
Ef yer head is smooth an' baldy,
He will go up thar ter skate.
He will tuck up in yer butter,
An' of jam he won't keep shy,
He's er bug that don't fear nothin'—
That 'ere pesky summer fly.

In yer coffee he'll go swimmin',
In yer mush he'll take er sleep,
Yes, yer'll find that triflin' critter
In most everything yer eat.
In th' sugar he'll go nosin',
Fer he's awful fond of that,
An' th' way th' sinner gulps it
Yer would think he'd bust from fat.

He's so small yer can not shoot him,
Ef yer could, I'd get my gun,
An' I'd load it up with buck shot,
Then I'd make them critters hum.
But I guess it's no use talkin'
Cose I haven't got er say
When that summer fly is with us,
He jes runs things his own way.

Ain't I glad th' weather changes—
Ef it didn't I would die,
Cose th' days might all be summer,
An we'd have that garl darn fly.
So I long fer good old winter,
When th' flies will get right scerce—
But I s'pose another summer
They'll be here still ten times worse.

D. J. M'CUMISKEY.

The American Bankers' Association has decided to hold its thirteenth annual convention in New York, September 14 to 16.

NINE REPORTED KILLED ON MISSOURI PACIFIC.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 3.—Nine persons are reported killed and many injured in a collision of passenger trains on the Missouri Pacific railroad near Mastin City, 15 miles south of Kansas City. The trains which met head-on were the west-bound Colorado limited No. 7 and eastbound Accomodation No. 36.

Train No. 1, the Colorado Flyer, had orders to meet train No. 36, the accommodation, at Mastin. The crew, it is believed, overlooked its orders and met train No. 36 south of Mastin tank, about one and one-third miles south of Mastin. The engines were both large and were both demolished. Among the dead is a tramp who was riding on the blind baggage.

Baggageman Williams, on train No. 36, was injured and Engineer Slocum, on No. 1 had a leg broken. Fireman Whaley, on No. 1, was hurt.

The day coach of the accommodation was telescoped; the chair car was not damaged, however. The mail car on the express was telescoped and the end of the baggage car stove in. At 1 o'clock Saturday morning the relief train had not returned to Kansas City.

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Unlined Silk Jackets, Actually Worth $15.00
$9.98
Women's silk jackets; unlined; full box back; large cape collar; full sleeve with fancy cuff; excellent styles and a good range of sizes; worth regularly $15.00. Today, $9.98.

$6.50 Dress Hats $2.48
Stylishly trimmed dress hats; turbans, sailors and flaring shapes; bodies of horsehair and light weight straw braid, chiffons and malines; most of them made over frames; trimmings of flowers, foliage and velvet ribbons; attractive styles that are up-to-date in every detail. Values as high as $6.50. Today, each, $2.48.

$2.48 Walking Hats..... $1.25
Street and walking hats for women and misses; made from good straw braids in the most popular colors, including black; stylish shapes; trimmings of straw bands, quills and ornaments; values up to $2.48. Today, each, $1.25.

Untrimmed hat shapes of maline, chiffon and straw; popular models; best of colors, including black and white; values up to $2.48. Today, each..... 98c

Untrimmed hat shapes made from good straws; in black, blue, tan and white; some bound with stitched satin; 50c and 75c values. Today, each..... 35c

Children's leghorn hats with broad brims, trimmed in many pretty ways; lots of flowers, ribbons and ornaments; worth $3.98. Today, each..... $2.48

Children's lace straw boy hats with facings of chiffon; trimmings of maline, chiffon, ribbons and flowers; values up to $2.98. Today, each..... $1.48

Children's sailors; good styles; round crowns with flaring brims; fancy plaid edges; band and bow of ribbon; $1.48 value. Today, each..... 98c

Stylish Covert Jackets $7.98
Light weight covert cloth jackets, in light and dark shades of tan, also dark gray; corset styles, every seam strapped, some lined with silk, others with satin; easily worth $2.00 more. Today, each, $7.98.

$8.00 Walking Skirts $3.98
Stylish walking skirts made from all-wool Scotch tweeds in blue and white and brown and white mixtures, cut 7-gore flare with strapped seams, trimmed with straps of the same material as the skirt, and lots of tailor stitching; these are slightly imperfect, otherwise they would sell for $8.00. Today, while they last, each, $3.98.

White Silk Waists $3.98
Fresh Stock. Newest Styles.
New white waists for summer wear, made from extra quality China silk, some of them elaborately trimmed with lace, others profusely tucked and plaited, plenty of sizes; fresh goods direct from New York. Sale price, $3.98.

$2.50 Lawn Waists $1.75
White lawn waists, full tucked front trimmed with insertion, large, closely tucked bertha collar with deep lace ruffle; splendid values at $2.50. Today, ea., $1.75.

$2.98 Shirt Waists $2.25
Stylish white waists, some of lawn, others of madras cloth, trimmed with lace and embroideries, a variety of late styles, values up to $2.98. Today, each, $2.25.

Excellent Muslin Drawers 25c Pair
Women's drawers made from good quality muslin, deep flounce finished with row of hemstitched tucks, others with embroidered ruffles; good 35c values, per pair, 25c.

Women's muslin and cambric gowns, Empire and French styles, either low or high neck, yokes of dainty lace and embroidery; values up to $1.48, today, each..... 98c

Women's muslin skirts made from extra fine material, properly cut and well finished, deep flounces trimmed with rows of lace or embroidery; values up to $1.48 to 98c

Children's $4.98 Silk Coats $3.98
Children's black silk coats made from good quality peau de soies and taffetas, some full length, automobile styles with circular collar trimmed with folds of colored silk, others reefer styles with collars of all-over lace and medallions; ages 2, 3 and 4 years; regular price $4.98. Today, each, $3.98.

$1.48 Colored Petticoats 98c
Choice assortment of sateen, linen and gingham petticoats, both black and colors, made in various pleasing ways, deep flounces and ruffles; values up to $1.48. Today, each, 98c.

Sale of Wanted Jewelry
Gold Plated, Gold Filled, and Solid Gold and Silver Novelties and Necessities.

Our jewelry stock is too heavy; orders come from the chief to reduce the stock to the minimum by July 1st; to accomplish this we will run a jewelry sale all this month featuring a number of articles each day at a very low price. Some articles at or below cost. Ours is undoubtedly the most complete stock of medium priced jewelry on the Pacific Coast. New, fresh goods in gold plated, gold filled and solid gold and solid silver articles that appeal to all classes of men and women. Today we offer three special lots of jewelry as follows:

50c Jewelry 19c
An immense lot of brooches, hatpins, stick pins, beauty pins, belt pins, bracelets, lockets, fobs, chains, cuff links, waist sets that are gold filled and gold plated, as well as a large collection of sterling silver novelties. Regular prices 25c, 39c and 50c. Choice today 19c.

69c Jewelry 29c
This lot consists of gold filled and gold plated brooches, waist sets, belt pins, stick pins, beauty pins, hatpins, fobs, cuff links, bracelets, chains, etc. Original prices up to 69c. Choice today, 29c.

$1.00 Jewelry 39c
High grade gold filled and gold plated jewelry; brooches, pins, links, chains, lockets, fobs, waist sets, bracelets, souvenir spoons, etc. Values up to $1.00. Choice today, 39c.

Notions That You Need

Fancy ruffled elastic; all colors as well as black and white; worth 15c and 20c. Today per yard..... 10c

Hose supporters for women; made from strong lisle elastic; finished with front pad of sateen; black, white and all colors; worth 35c. Today..... 25c

Thimbles of either German silver or steel; some tailors' thimbles with open tops; values up to 10c. Today, each..... 3c

Dress shields; light weight; washable; two different sizes; worth 15c. Today, per pair..... 10c

White finishing braid; good assortment of patterns; 5 lbs worth 5c. On sale today for..... 2c

Assorted toilet pins; jet heads; needle points; boxes worth 10c. Today..... 1c

25c Ribbons 15c

An immense lot of fine quality ribbon; satin or taffeta, plain taffetas and crepe de chine; soft finish and good body, widths up to 4 inches; all the newest and most popular colors; 25c values; today, per yard, 15c.

75c Lace Collars 35c
A splendid collection of lace collars both straight and pointed effects; new patterns; fresh, new arrivals; worth 75c; today, each, 35c.

$2.00 Automobile Veils 98c
Automobile veils; the very newest thing; for hat drapes; 2 yards long, neatly hemmed and finished with draw string; all the popular colors; actual $2.00 values; today, each, 98c.

Sample Line Silk Belts 25c
Regular 50c and 75c Values.

Today we offer a lot of manufacturers' samples of Women's belts; only 12 dozen of them just received from New York; very latest styles, both girdle and straight effects; some plain, others have buckles and back ornaments; fresh, new styles, actually worth 50c and 75c; today, each, 25c.

Pocket Knives
For Men and Boys 50c
Well Worth 75c

High grade pocket knives, made by Krusius Bros., of Germany; two, three and four blades; mostly pearl handles; a few however, with bone and stag handles; every knife is fully warranted; our regular cut prices are 69c and 75c; you'll pay $1.00 for the same knives in exclusive stock; choice, today, 50c.

Special Items

ON SALE FROM 6 UNTIL 10 TONIGHT. NONE WILL BE SOLD BEFORE 6.

A Concert of Bargains With Economy as the Key Note

Fancy stripe ruffled swiss curtains; 2½ yards long and 40 inches wide, good organdie material; well worth 75c; tonight after 6, per pair..... 49c

Fancy print cretonnes, beautiful floral designs in all the most popular color combinations; suitable for curtains, draperies etc.; cheap at 15c; tonight after 6, per yard..... 10c

Huck towels, good weight, soft finish; hemmed ends and red borders; 14x27 inches; regular $1.35 grade; tonight after 6, each..... 5c

Unbleached bath towels, extra heavy; 20x40 inches; always sell for 15 3-3c; special tonight after 6, each..... 12½c

36-inch dress percales, good quality material; many desirable patterns; grade that sells readily at 10c; tonight after 6, per yard..... 5c

10 pieces of 36-inch half wool challis in cream, pink, French gray and black; suitable for women's and children's wear; will launder nicely and retain its color; good 15c value tonight after 6, per yard..... 10c

36-inch luster silk in a broken assortment of colors; made from mercerized yarns; brilliant and permanent finish; worth 10c; tonight after 6, per yard..... 6½c

Liberty satin in a range of bright and delicate colors suitable for separate waists of full evening costumes; 21 to 24 inches in width; worth regularly from 39c to 50c; special tonight after 6, per yard..... 50c

Good writing paper, 20 sheets of paper with envelopes to match; always sells for 25c; special tonight after 6, per box..... 12½c

Mennen's talcum powder; sold about town for 25c; tonight after 6, per box..... 12½c

Cloth bound books, good paper and clear print; over 200 titles by such well known authors as Southworth, Lyall, Holmes, Dumas, Mariott, etc; would be cheap at 25c; tonight after 6, each..... 12½c

Good laundry soap, standard size bars; often sells for 5c; tonight after 6, 15 bars for..... 25c

Coats' darning cotton; black, white and all colors; regular 5½c grade; tonight after 6, per spool..... 1c

Children's Tam O'Shanters made from good cloth and lined in white and mixed colors; suitable for either boys or girls; regular 25c and 35c value; tonight after 6, each..... 15c

Women's turnover collars, either straight band or tab effects; some of embroidered chiffon, others of embroidered linen in Bulgarian effects; cheap at 25c; tonight after 6, each..... 10c

Women's handkerchiefs, made from fine sheer quality muslin and French lawn; some with lace borders, others embroidered and hemstitched; regular 25c value; tonight after 6, three for..... 10c

Boy's knee pants suits, Norfolk and double breasted styles; made of all wool tweeds and cassimeres; light and dark colors; all sizes from 3 to 16 years of age; good $2.50 values; tonight after 6, per suit..... $1.49

Men's trousers made from extra fine all-wool worsted; cassimere and cheviot; splendidly made and tailored; excellent fitting; sizes for all; sell readily at $2.50; tonight after 6, per pair..... $1.95

Collar buttons, 10 to 14 carat gold filled; guaranteed one piece; others have sterling silver and pearl backs as well as a good assortment of lever collar buttons; all popular styles, back and sleeves; a splendid 10c button; tonight after 6, each..... 2½c

Snaps From the Linen Section
These for Today Only

Good Turkish wash clothes, fine soft absorbent quality; size 13x13 inches; regular 9½c value; today, each..... 5c

Huck towels, soft, firm quality; 18x36 inches; finished with red borders; always sell for 12½c; today $1.10 a dozen, or each..... 10c

All linen fringed napkins; checked or plain centers with red border; 18x18 inches; regular 7c grade; today, each..... 5c

Colored honeycomb bed spreads, hemmed or fringed; full size; these come in pink or blue; excellent value at $1.35; today each..... $1.10

Basement Bargains

Fair sized hammocks; good strong weave; fitted with pillow and spreader; all colors; sale price each..... 98c

Extra long hammocks; well made; all colors; fitted with pillows and spreader; worth $2.50. Today each..... $1.98

$1.25 Croquet Sets 89c
Four-ball croquet sets, made from hard wood and well finished; nicely boxed; worth $1.25; today 89c.

Eight-ball croquet sets, large enough set for 8 players; hard wood, finely finished; worth $2.25; today per set..... $1.74

Camp or lawn chairs; can be regulated to any position; the sort that sold at $1.75; regular price $1.35; to-day each..... 98c

Garden hose, black India rubber; 3 ply; 50 ft. long; guaranteed for 1 year; 50 ft. length complete with couplings and combination nozzle and spray; worth $6.75; today..... $4.74

Gas stoves; 10-in. long; nickel plated with two good burners; worth $3; today each..... $2.48

Folding sewing or cutting tables; 28-in. long; made from hard wood; worth $1.34; today each..... 98c

SUMMER GLOVES
Special Prices for Today

Silk mesh gloves; the coolest and most dressy glove imaginable for summer wear; two-clasp; long or short fingers; all sizes and all colors; they fit like a kid glove; worth $1.25. Today, per pair..... 85c

Women's fabric gloves; suede lisle of fine quality; all sizes and all colors; finished at the wrist with two clasps; suitable for street or evening wear; regular 75c values; today, per pair..... 59c

"The Broadway" suede kid glove in all the staple and novelty colors; spliced thumb; long or short fingers; all sizes; you can't match them in quality about town at $1.50. Sale price, per pair..... $1.00

$1.25 Beach Parasols for 75c
Beach parasols made from good material, neatly hemmed, strong frames, natural wood handles; a good selection of colors; fresh, new goods worth regularly $1.25. Today, each, 75c.

Handsome new silk parasols in white, trimmed with three ruffles, others in colors with hemstitched borders, Paragon frame, natural wood handles; $5.00 value. Today, each..... $3.98

Carriage parasols or sunshades made from black silk in either light or heavy weight, trimmed with ruffle, strong frame, folding sectional handles; $3.00 values. Today, each..... $1.98

New Idea Pompadours
Cool, Comfortable and Attractive

The New Idea Pompadour is now being demonstrated in the main cross aisles of our store; they are made from 20-inch wavy hair over an automatic spring; are easy to adjust and will remain in place under all conditions; can be worn either under or over the natural hair. Prices range upward from..... $2.50

Today is Hosiery Day
These Prices are for Today Only

Women's fancy hose; best of colors; full fashion; all sizes; extra good 25c value; today, per pair..... 15c

Women's black lace striped hose; all sizes; the sort that usually sell 3 pairs for 50c. Today, per pair..... 12½c

Women's black cotton hose, seamless; well shaped; sizes for all; regular 15c value; today, per pair..... 10c

Women's fast black, drop stitch hose; very pretty patterns, good 25c values, today, per pair..... 19c

Women's fast black cotton hose, either plain or lace stripe; also children's black cotton hose; medium fine ribbed or plain; these are all seconds; a slight imperfection here and there; regular 12½c value; today, per pair..... 6½c

School hose for boys and girls, medium fine ribbed, fast black, seamless feet and double knee, all sizes; 20c value. Today, per pair..... 12½c

Infant's cashmere hose, fast black, silk heel and toe; good assortment of sizes; 25c values; today, per pair..... 15c

Misses' black lace hose, full fashioned, excellent pattern; regular 20c value. Today per pair..... 12½c

Misses' fancy colored hose, tans or black grounds with white polkadots, full fashioned, all sizes; excellent 25c value. Today, per pair..... 15c

A Free Round-Trip Ticket to St. Louis

With every purchase of $1.00 in our corset department we give a coupon; the woman returning to us the greatest number of these coupons by June 15 will be presented with a round-trip ticket to St. Louis. Buy your corsets at The Broadway and induce your friends to do the same, and you can go to the St. Louis Exposition at the expense of our corset department.

Sole Agents for American Lady Corsets

Good Nottingham Lace Curtains 98c Pair
White Nottingham lace curtains; 2½ yards long and 36 inches wide; handsome patterns; cheap at $1.25; today per pair 98c.

Handsome rope portieres; for openings from 3 to 5 ft. and 8 ft. high; best of colors; regular price $2.48; today..... $1.98

All Wool Ingrain Rugs Reduced
Good heavy all-wool ingrain rugs; room sizes; pretty patterns; good colors; priced for today as follows:

Ingrain rugs, size 9x9 ft..... $5.98
Ingrain rugs, size 9x9½ ft..... $7.48
Ingrain rugs, size 9x12 ft..... $8.48

SISTER MAY SHE FAINTS.

But Bessie Driscoll is One Lively Invalid.

Leaps Windows in the Act of Answering 'Phone.

Says She'll Soon Depart for Dear Old Butte.

As a finale to the last scene of the drama now being enacted by the Whitford-Driscoll combination in this city, before the most interesting act of the week, the examination which is expected to be on the boards today with Justice Austin in one of the leading roles, another of the principals fainted.

This time it was May Driscoll, the elder sister of the defendant in the celebrated extortion case which is on the calendar of the Police Court and is scheduled for a hearing at 10 o'clock this morning.

MAY'S PROMINENT PART.

May has played a very important part in the week's engagement, acting in the dual capacity of manager for her sister's interests and emissary in carrying on whatever negotiations were in progress for a settlement out of court. Whether it was from fear, fright or exhaustion that May lost control of her senses is not known, but at all events such a calamity occurred during a ride up Third-street hill. Sister Bessie mournfully said last night.

Whether May will have sufficiently recovered to be in court this morning to comfort her sister during the trying ordeal was somewhat a matter of uncertainty last night, but Bessie, who acted as interlocutor on this occasion, hoped that both would be able to appear.

BESSIE "RECOVERED."

Bessie had sufficiently "recovered" to stand an extended journey yesterday. She refused to state whither their originations had taken them, except that a visit had been paid to their lawyers, Davis, Rush & Willis, but surely the entire day was consumed away from their lodgings.

They left the Grand-avenue quarters at 9 o'clock in the morning, taking a large suit case and a huge bundle, which the invalid Bessie was able to carry to the new lodgings on South Hope street without collapsing. Not long before noon they returned to the former quarters, where only a few disordered articles were left, but to which they still retain the key, and had luncheon sent in from the Cleveland, a neighboring boarding-house.

Immediately afterward they left for the office of their lawyers, where a protracted consultation was held, but their subsequent movements until their return to the Hope-street place are enveloped in mystery. A visit to the express company's office, where their trunks have been in storage since the arrest of Bessie's arrest last week, was evidently made for the luggage which was then to South Hope during the afternoon.

"AUNT" DOESN'T APPEAR.

The mysterious aunt who has recently entered into the case has not yet materialized. She failed to accompany the sisters when they arrived at South Hope street about 7 o'clock looking none the worse for the day's jaunt. Bessie was more elaborately attired in a creation of red than at any time since she has been an object of interest in the city. The fadeless and careworn appearance, whether real or assumed, which was in evidence when she told her pitiful story to a visitor three days ago had entirely disappeared, and she chatted merrily with May as the pair entered their home.

BABY VERY INCONSPICUOUS

Of the baby, little Dolores, as Bessie is fond of referring to the mysterious infant, was conspicuously absent for a few minutes were spent at the new home, where the sisters went on the Grand Avenue place, where they left the landlady they would spend the night.

An effort was made by a Times reporter to see the young women before they retired, but the only conversation that would permit was with the door open. Bessie did the talking.

"We can't see anyone tonight. Don't you know May fainted?" she said with an accent of surprise as though such a catastrophe should have been brulted about without delay.

When informed that such knowledge had not yet been received at any of the news centers, she continued sorrowfully:

"Oh, yes. Coming up in the Angel's flight. I thought you must know it. Didn't you May?"

The muffled sound from the bed indicated probably intended to indicate that the statement was true.

"Where is the baby, Bessie?" was the next query.

"Oh, I don't want to talk anymore," was the replied. "My lawyers are very angry with me and you must excuse me."

The sisters have not succeeded in making a very favorable impression on those living in the house where they have been staying since. Bessie's departure. The landlady is authority for the statement that Bessie has been "sick" since the report of her illness was received one day when a physician's certificate resulted in a postponement of the examination.

BESSIE LEAPS WINDOWS.

"She has been the liveliest invalid I ever saw," she said. "Any one who saw her leaping through one window and then another, getting from one doorway to another answering telephone calls several times a day would think otherwise than skeptical. Bessie confined herself pretty closely to the house since they have been here after her sister has done whatever things were necessary. They have helped myself and many of the tenants by borrowing cooking and heating utensils and I shall be heartily glad when they deliver up the key and leave us for good."

COMPROMISE NOT LIKELY.

Whatever negotiations have been pending tending to a compromise are said to be finally at an end and the courts will determine what disposition is to be made of Bessie's case this morning. The parties have admitted that efforts have been made to settle matters without a legal battle, and each blames the other of making the advances, but they now both agree that a reasonable adjustment is impossible. Bessie says that as soon as she is released she intends to hie to Butte to begin civil action while Dr. Whitford will, through his attorney, John [illegible], that he will fight the case to the finish.

WANTED IN NORTH.

Alleged San Francisco Embezzler Arrested by Los Angeles Detectives. Officer Coming for Him.

Solomon C. P. Ranskhoff, alias Sol Ransenhoff known in Los Angeles as Sol Rans, was arrested yesterday by Detectives Cowen and Davis as a fugitive from justice at the request of the San Francisco authorities. He is wanted in that city on a charge of felony embezzlement, and an officer is en route to take him back for trial.

He was employed as a traveling salesman by the firm of Belasco & Harris, of San Francisco, tailors, and worked a month. During that time it is alleged he was short in his accounts $169.25. He left his employers without notice about six weeks ago and coming to this city secured employment with the Scotch Plaid Tailoring Company, where he gave an assumed name. He was located through a letter which he sent to San Francisco. The prisoner says he will have no difficulty in settling the case against him. He says that during the time he was employed by the San Francisco firm he was allowed nothing for traveling expenses, and the amount of his alleged embezzlement is what he expended in traveling through the State selling the goods of the firm. He probably will be taken north this evening.

LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.

FOR SAFETY AND EXPEDITION.

IMPROVEMENT PLANNED ON PACIFIC ELECTRIC.

Will Deepen Cut and Pass Under Road Near Ellis—First Train of the Salt Lake Road to Enter San Bernardino Today and the Event Will be Celebrated.

A big improvement is planned for the Pacific Electric lines leaving this city by way of East Lake Park. A deep cut is to be made in the hill which the cars now climb between Schuetzen Park and Baird's station. There is a curve at Schuetzen Park and from this point the track runs east at a heavy grade and crosses the Adobe road at Ellis where it curves northward again. The crossing is a dangerous one on account of the hills on either side which obstruct the view and because of the curves. It is the intention of the company to deepen the present cut sufficiently to allow the cars to pass under the Adobe road, thereby saving time and lessening the danger. At present it is necessary for the motormen to slow down at this point and on a grade the pace is not easily picked up again. The improvement is an important one as the Alhambra, San Gabriel, Pasadena and Monrovia cars come into Los Angeles over this right-of-way, as will eventually all of the extensions skirting the north side of the San Gabriel Valley. It is the plan of the company to make a four-track system of this route between Eastlake Park and Monrovia junction in South Pasadena and this cut is part of the plan.

Residents in the vicinity of Fourth and Anderson streets were rejoicing last night over the brilliancy of the illumination of the roundhouse of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad which was lit up for the first time. The company has been trying for many weeks to get light on the scene and now forty incandescents and one large arc shed daylight into the darkness which for so long a time has been the rendesvous of hobos and night prowlers, who now scatter like tramps at the sight of a buck saw.

That the work of the company's road across the desert is being pushed is shown in the fact that its largest steam shovel which has been operating near San Bernardino is to leave for the front beyond Daggett today, accompanied by two more big engines and the heavy force of men who have been constructing at the end of the San Gabriel Valley. Their work completed, the first train of the Salt Lake is to be run into San Bernardino today and the event will be characterized by a formal welcome and rejoicing.

SERIOUSLY DAMAGED.

British Ship Speke Will be Refitted Here With Los Angeles Rigging.

The survey of the British ship Speke, Capt. Stott, which was damaged a few days ago during a gale off Point Concepcion, has been completed and it has been found that the damage sustained by the vessel is much more serious than was anticipated. She made the trip from Antwerp, around Cape Horn, without special incident and without being damaged in the least. When she neared her destination she encountered a squall which drove her far out of her course, and for more than a week Capt. Stott tried in vain to make port, although within a short distance of it. At one time he was within thirty miles of port and was driven northward by a gale, and off Point Concepcion he lost most of his rigging. The crippled vessel finally reached Port Los Angeles in a sorry condition.

While the general cargo was being discharged a survey was made and it was found that to repair the ship would cost about $15,000. The contract for refitting her was awarded to the Llewellyn Iron Works of this city and the work commenced yesterday. It will require six weeks to get the vessel in condition to make her homeward voyage. She will proceed from Port Los Angeles to Portland. This is the first vessel to be entirely refitted in these waters, and that fact is important, in that it will result in the building up of an important business here, such work being unreasonably expensive in San Francisco on account of the domination and greed of the labor unions.

FOR DEVELOPMENT.

Prof. T. C. Hopkins of San Francisco is in the city gathering data for the preparation of a bulletin on the "Structural and Industrial Materials of California," to be published by the State Mineralogist. He is at the Natick House, and wishes to meet and consult parties having undeveloped but promising deposits of this kind in the South. It is the desire of the bureau to make the bulletin an aid in the development and greater use of the California materials.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCES.

The annual reception of the Southern California Academy of Sciences will be held Monday evening at the home of S. J. Keese, No. 1509 Shatto street. Annual reports of the sections will be read and there will be an exhibition of microscopic projection of crystals and other objects, showing the beautiful effect of polarization. The experiments will be by S. J. Keese and the "Principals of Polarization" will be explained by Prof. Melville Dozier.

SALMONS GETS A HEAVY VOTE.

SUCCEEDS HIMSELF AS SECOND GRAND ENGINEER.

Editor of Locomotive Engineers' Journal Has Held Position Ten Years and is Credited With Good Work—Hard Fight Still on Over Other Positions.

High tribute was paid by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers yesterday to Second Grand Engineer C. H. Salmons, who succeeded himself by receiving 440 votes out of 559 votes cast in the informal ballot. By motion the result was at once made formal and the popular editor of the association journal was declared elected. The office of third assistant grand chief was filled by the walk away of H. E. Wills of No. 125, Clinton, Iowa, over four other candidates, after a stubborn fight which took up the greater part of two days.

C. H. Salmons has held his position for ten years and has made the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers Journal the complete and interesting monthly magazine which it is today. His efforts have been untiring and through all Mr. Salmons has been editor and business manager, doing the work almost single-handed. As an engineer he has held responsible positions on adjustment boards of various railroads and has been one man of the order to uphold the teachings of that great and good man, P. M. Arthur, who was the father of its best principles.

Salmons was bereft of his parents when he was but two years of age and experienced many hard knocks in his youth, being forced to earn his own living from the time he was a mere boy. When he was but 12 years old he struck out for himself and entered into mechanical lines. He worked in shops and finally became locomotive fireman for the Santa Fé in 1871 and then was placed at the throttle. In 1888 he wrote a history of the C. B. & Q. strike, having been a member of the board of adjustment which terminated the strike. In 1894 a vacancy occurred in the position of second grand engineer, which carries with it the editorship of the Journal, and a high salary, and he was elected. His reelection by the heavy majority yesterday bears evidence of the fact that his popularity has not waned.

"There seems to be an opinion rife that some of the younger men of the Brotherhood are working for a greater independence of the Brotherhood, but such is not the case and will never be as long as the memory of P. M. Arthur holds the place which it does today," said Mr. Salmons last night. "His principles of conservatism and peacefulness in all things will be continued, for on those doctrines depends the present strength of the organization."

The afternoon session continued the election, the stubborn fight of the various factions still existing over some of the positions to be filled. The balloting is done with dispatch, and the clerks retire to a private room, where the vote is counted while business progresses in the convention. Many resolutions are considered and most of the afternoon was devoted to committee reports and recommendations.

Grand Chief and Mrs. Stone entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Martin at dinner last night in appreciation of the good work which R. C. Martin has done as secretary of the local committee on arrangements for the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The table was prettily decorated and the little dinner party was a most pleasant one.

The brotherhood yesterday accepted an invitation from the Chamber of Commerce to attend a reception to be given in its honor at the chamber quarters on Broadway this evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. A large turnout is expected.

TAKES FIRM STAND.

C. W. Post, of Postum Cereal Company, Will Fight Boycotters to a Finish in the Courts.

C. W. Post, chairman of the Postum Cereal Company, Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich., has issued a warning to publishers that he will demand the protection of the law against all who attempt to boycott his company or its products through the columns of their publications. The warning was issued after an infamous attack made upon the company by Typographical Union, No. 134, through the columns of the Paducah News-Democrat. The firm stand taken by Mr. Post against unionism's tyranny, its interference with the business of others and its attempts to destroy the business of those who oppose it, is ably set forth in a letter which Mr. Post has sent out. He proposes to manage his own business and does not propose to permit labor unions to dictate to him how his business shall be conducted. Mr. Post's letter, and the article which inspired it, follow:

POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.,
Makers of Postum Cereal and Health Foods.

C. W. Post, Chairman.

BATTLE CREEK (Mich.) May 27, 1904.

Notice to Publishers: The inclosed clipping was published in the Paducah News-Democrat of April 27, 1904.

Many of the statements therein are incorrect and supposed to be damaging. I have given instructions to bring suit against the publisher of that paper for damages, said suit to be conducted by the Anti-Boycott Association and backed by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.

All publishers are hereby notified that any attempt at boycotting the writer, the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., or their products through the columns of their publications will be met with prompt legal procedure for damages.

I do not propose to permit labor unions to manage my business. They have tried it and failed.

I am not opposed to unions so long as they are peaceable and attend to their own business, but am now, and always shall be, actively opposed to the tyranny, impudence, oppression, picketing, boycotting, violence, destruction of property, murder and general thuggery as conducted by many members of labor unions.

We have not one penny for tribute to anarchists and law-breakers, nor any compromise with them, but we have some millions, if need be, for defense and the right to the liberty that some of our forebears seemed quite willing to give up their lives for.

Earnestly and respectfully yours,
C. W. POST.

The following article appeared in the Paducah News-Democrat of April 24, 1904:

A WARNING.

To the Friends of Union Labor:

It is a fact not generally known by members of labor unions and their friends, that C. M. Post of Battle Creek, Mich., proprietor and manufacturer of a substitute for coffee known as "Postum Cereal," and "Grape Nuts," is one of the principal backers of the infamous Los Angeles Times, which has given so much trouble to the cause of organized labor of all classes during the past few years, and it is also true that he is one of the leaders of the organization known as the "Manufacturers' Association," whose sole purpose is the fighting of labor unions. Also it is a fact that he has been the cause of many of the strikes and lockouts that have occurred within the past year in the different trades.

Now that Mr. Post has taken it upon himself to use his influence and his money to prevent laboring men from exercising their rights as American citizens in organizing for the purpose of improving their social and financial condition, we believe it to be the duty of every lover of right and justice to refuse to purchase the product of this would-be destroyer of unionism, and to do all in our power to discourage its sale.

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REMAINS IDENTIFIED.

The Man Who Committed Suicide in Arcade Hotel Was E. D. Sheets of Cleveland.

The body of the man who registered at the Arcade Hotel Monday and committed suicide by inhaling gas two days later, was identified last night as that of E. D. Sheets of Cleveland. Col. B. F. Sheets of Oregon, Ill., reached the city last night, and immediately after viewing the remains at Bresee Bros.' morgue, announced that the dead man was his brother. H. H. Sheets, another brother, a resident of Pomona, also identified the dead man.

Col. Sheets was a lay delegate to the recent Methodist Conference and had only been away from the city a few days before he read an account of the suicide of E. D. Smith of Chicago—under which name the man registered—and the supposition that his true name was Sheets. Convinced that the man was his brother, Col. Sheets hurried back to the city to find his worst fears realized. Sheets was an employé of the Schneider-Trinkhamp Company of Cleveland, and stood well in that city. He had some domestic troubles, which are supposed to have been responsible for his act. The body will be shipped to Pomona today for interment.

FRENCH CELEBRATION.

The French colony met last night and chose an Executive Committee for the celebration of the anniversary of the fall of the Bastile on July 14. The colony is preparing for a more than ordinarily elaborate demonstration this year. The members of the Executive Committee are: President, Fernand Parmentier; vice-president, Auguste Blanchard; secretary, Eugene Foucher; treasurer, Emile Rougny; Mirassou Castelig, Amaury Mars, A. Dupuy, E. Bezy, F. Sesma, Francois Rogues and Cloris Peres.

FREE SUMMER OUTING.

The Salvation Army is arranging for a number of free summer outings to the seashore for poor mothers and children. Luncheons are to be provided and everything possible is to be done to carry a little sunshine into the lives of many who never have the opportunity for the enjoyment of the beach. Tickets are to be distributed generously to the worthy, and the Salvation Army is making an appeal for funds to carry out this project.

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An illustrated description of the proposed building for the department of Agriculture. By John Elfreth Watkins, Jr.

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A war correspondent's account of a scene in the smoking room of the steamship Siberia. By Will Lovington Comfort.

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An illustrated description of the attractions from mystic lands at the World's Fair. By C. F. Philips.

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How a New York girl won back her life in Arizona. By G. P. S.

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How it grew from a young woman's log cabin in the woods. By Greta Bryar.

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An interesting letter from the old Italian city. By Mrs. Adams-Fisher.

Chinese Paper Shops.
A glance at a curious Oriental industry. By Alfred Dezendorf.

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How the deadly snake is attacked by roadrunners and eagles. By Alan R. I. Riley.

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The story of Sven Kittlesen and a great temptation. By Anthony E. Anderson.

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The helpless and homeless of the great metropolis to be driven from their sleeping places. By L. N. S.

At the Cafe.
A story wherein is explained a pardonable misunderstanding. By Grace Kingsley.

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A story of a criminal's night in Mexico's cathedral. By Frances M. Hosking.

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How it may be aided by out-of-door living rooms. By Belle Sumner Angier.

An Altadena Bungalow,
Description of a picturesque home to be built by a Los Angeles architect. By a special contributor.

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Science from the seventeenth century for nature lovers. By C. B Irvine.

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Woman Strikes a Silver Bonanza in Arivaca.

American Investors Inspect Abadoned Jourequipa.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) June 2.—The New Jersey courts have swept away the last obstacle and the merger of the Old Dominion and United Globe mining properties at Globe will soon be accomplished. The latter property is owned by Phelps, Dodge & Co., whose influence would appear to dominate in the merger. The only opposition has come from a few minority stockholders of the Old Dominion, who have been fighting against their own material interests. During the past couple of months, under an agreement with the Phelps-Dodge managers, the Old Dominion smelter has been running on mixed ores, the sulphides being furnished from Bisbee by the other parties to the transaction. It is notable that these months have been the best the smelter has ever had, the production of copper running up to 1,500,000 pounds and the net profits to $50,000 for the month of April. Improvements to cost over $1,000,000 are now being made on the mines and smelter and with modern methods and doubled economy through the merger, the combined property is expected to become one of the most profitable in the southwest.

The famous, possibly notorious, Esmeralda mine, in Sonora, below Douglas, has reverted to its original owners, Charles Scott taking possession for himself and partners by formal decree of the Mexican courts. It appears that the Esmeralda Gold Mine and Milling Company, the bonding corporation, paid not a dollar on its deal and as well was robbed of about one hundred sacks of ore, the richest ever taken from the mine, aggregating in value about $20,000.

ONCE YIELDED RICH ORE.

A party of American investors, headed by G. E. Tucker, has returned from inspection of the old Jourequipa mines, near Nacozari, Sonora. It is probable that the property will be purchased and worked by progressive methods. At present it is a honeycomb of crooked shafts and drifts and of dangerous stopes where the Indian miners dug out the rich ore whatever the shape in which it was found. The ore was taken to the surface on "chicken ladders," tree trunks laid at an angle and notched into the roughest of stairways for the bare feet of the peons who bore the rawhide panniers. Around the workings are the ruins of a score of ancient smelters and arastras, where the ore was roughly reduced, and slag dumps that have in them yet metal enough to give rich return to the modern smelter man.

According to A. E. Khuser, president of the Yaqui Smelting and Refining Company, Americans operating mines in Sonora, are finding difficulty in securing good workmen, owing to the opposition of the Yaquis by the Mexican government. These Indians are the best workers to be secured, yet are troublesome from their inclination to go on the warpath at any time against the Mexicans. Americans they never harm, if recognized as Americans, but they have been such a scourge to the Spanish-speaking majority that no course save deportation seems open to the government. Some of the mine owners are saving their Yaquis by registering them and agreeing to become responsible for any overt acts, but much risk attaches to this procedure.

LITIGATION OVER THE VEKOL.

P. B. McCabe of Los Angeles and Mrs. Lucien Walker, formerly of Los Angeles, are interested in a case now under trial at Florence, affecting the ownership of the noted Vekol mine, on the plain forty miles north of Casa Grande station. More than thirty years ago the mine was first worked by John D. and Lucien Walker. They had been led to it by Pima Indians, the consideration paid by the Walkers being the digging of a well for the Indians on their reservation near the Gila River. At first the mine was worked with enormous profit. Horn silver was found on the ground and in great kidneys near the surface, the deepest workings being only 200 feet. Following a compact with the Indians, only Pimas and Maricopas were used as laborers wherever possible, and the ore was taken out in the most primitive of ways. Following the death of the Walkers, a third of the mine was awarded in the courts to a halfbreed Indian girl, alleged to have been the daughter of John D. Walker. Her representatives managed to get possession of the property, but working by machinery appears to be foreign to the spirit of the Vekol, and the mine has yielded no profit since. For several years it has been closed down, though it is probable there are more seams and deposits of thousand-ounce silver ore, the property is not considered much of a bonanza at the present time, and, owing to the coyote-hole methods of the earlier miners, latter-day development would prove a very expensive undertaking.

The Old Terrible mine and mill, on the eastern slope of the Dragoons, will start about July 1, after a shut-down of several months due to bickerings among the stockholders.

Mrs. May Clarke has struck 400-ounce silver ore in the Liberty group of mines in Arivaca district. The ore is being shipped to El Paso.

TO DEVELOP FEAR NOT.

PLANS FORMED BY NEW OWNER.

R. E. Olds, formerly of the Oldsmobile Company, who recently purchased the Fear Not mine, near Victor, in San Bernardino county, is preparing to expend $50,000 in the development of his property.

The Fear Not was purchased from Los Angeles parties for $75,000, and was well equipped when it passed into the hands of its new owner. The property has been developed by about twelve hundred feet of shafts, drifts and levels and it is Mr. Olds' intention to push the development work rapidly while instituting a number of improvements in the plant and cyanide mill. The ore is peculiarly well adapted to the cyanide process and can be treated at a handsome profit. A large section of the ledge will average $18 to $20 per ton, while some portions will yield $60.

DRY LAKE DISTRICT ACTIVE.

Henry B. Meade, president of the Dry Lake Mining and Milling Company, is in the city on company business, chiefly to report in person to the directors on the progress of the work. The company is a close corporation, owned and controlled by Los Angeles men, and is doing some very effective work on its extensive properties in San Bernardino county, about twenty miles from Bagdad.

The company owns seventeen claims of twenty acres each, and has been pushing forward development work rapidly, and with marked success. From a three-stamp mill, which is in reality merely a sampling mill, the company has more than paid operating expenses, and Mr. Meade has been able to send an occasional check to the treasurer here. Sinking is now in progress on a large vein and ore body, the latter giving returns never less than $18 to $20 and frequently as high as $200 and $300. The ore-shoot, which is nearly perpendicular, averages almost two feet in width, free milling, and is becoming richer and better with depth. Mr. Meade is personally supervising the work at the mine. Large ore reserves are already blocked out, and a few days ago the bottom of the main shaft, at a depth of about 125 feet, broke into a fine ore body of high grade.

A LARGER MILL.

The company is backed by local capital, and sinking will be continued to the 500-foot level before any stations are cut or drifts started. The shaft is following the ore, and the rock taken out in the course of development work is more than meeting expenses. Arrangements will soon be made for a larger mill, probably a 10 or 20-stamp, and other necessary surface improvements. It is believed that by the time these have been installed enough ore will have been blocked out ready for breaking and hoisting, to keep the mill busy for several years. The company's present plan is to prosecute development work as rapidly as possible with a view to beginning heavy production within the next six months. Work is confined to the La Fortuna claims, upon which the main shaft is located, but the company intends, as soon as its present plans are carried out, to begin active operations on the other groups.

VULTURE MINE AGAIN TO FORE.

CLAIMS REPORTED JUMPED AND RELOCATED.

Was Once Greatest Gold Producer in Southwest—Women Retire from Management of Golden Rule Company—Big Mill to be Erected by Crowned King.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) June 2.—Word has been received from Wickenburg that George E. Sanders has jumped and relocated eighteen claims at Vulture, comprising the famous old Vulture mine and its extensions. Two days ago Sanders arrived from New York, where he had been having much legal trouble over the Vulture Development Company, of which he is manager. This corporation appears to be an offshoot of the Angel Consolidated Mining Company, which has twenty-three claims near Wickenburg. Wilson H. Hoover, formerly a United States judge in New York, has accused Sanders, fiscal agent of the Angel, with the misappropriation of 1,000,000 shares of Angel stock, and with illegally leasing the Angel ground to the Vulture Development Company. This last-named corporation appears to have taken a bond on the Vulture property, paying $10,000 down and agreeing to pay $400,000 in all. The only possible opening for the relocation of the claims would be caused by the failure to do the annual assessment work required by law. To establish this, it will be necessary for Sanders to establish that his own father, now deceased, committed perjury, for in the County Recorder's office in Phoenix are affidavits, subscribed to by George W. Sanders, reciting that the assessment work has been fully done on nineteen claims, comprising the Vulture group. The elder Sanders, who was commander of the Grand Army of the Republic in Arizona, died in Phoenix a few months ago. From 1863 to 1880 the Vulture mine was considered the greatest gold producer in the Southwest. In that period it probably turned out $7,000,000. With the upper deposits worked out and caved in, very little has been done since on the property, which has passed through several sets of hands, including those of Senator Tabor of Denver. The old mine has been made the subject of several bad-looking stock deals. It is understood that in the last, which was advertised broadly throughout the Union, more than $200,000 was collected from the confiding public for stock. Just what became of the money has not been made apparent. The mine and machinery show few evidences of expenditure. A rumor that has come from the East is that the Guggenheims are negotiating for the purchase of the old mine, in which event Sanders' new location would be of large value, especially if it should prove that the last year's assessment work had not been done.

FEMALE MANAGERS RETIRE.

The Golden Rule Mining and Exploration Company, the only mining corporation in Arizona controlled and managed by women, has passed at last into the hands of ordinary men and will be managed with little reference to sentiment. Several ladies remain on the board of directors, but to the places of Mrs. S. A. Hutchison, the former manager, and of Mrs. A. H. Hammer, were elected Sims Ely of Phoenix, editor of the Republican, and A. Widenmeyer of Wickenburg. The unique reputation of the corporation was maintained at the close of the business meeting in Phoenix yesterday, when refreshments were served and a musical programme was presented, the stockholders thereafter, indulging in a dance.

The Cuprite group of copper mines in the Santa Rita Mountains near Tucson has reverted to the original owners, Fish & Esekiels, together with a forfeit of $15,000, put up by the "Golden Rule Mining Company," a corporation managed by a smooth operator, William H. Lake. The Cuprite claims were taken up after failure to develop anything worth while in some claims in the Catalina Mountains, north of Tucson. Lake and his principal assistant, one Hibbard, are charged with having absorbed $229,521, money subscribed in New York State for the development of the Arizona mines. Lake was a steady church attendant and appears to have been an adept in the art of securing the savings of widows and persons of small means.

ATTACHED FOR DEBTS.

The property of the Exposed Reef mine in the Huachuca Mountains of Cochise county has been attached for debts of $4000, mainly due to employés for wages. On the visit of the president of the company, O. C. Evans of Cincinnati, the men were promised early liquidation of their claims. As the promise has not been kept, the men have gone to law for collection. The company has spent about $150,000 in the development of the property, and possesses a fine new mill, which was to be started within a few days.

Manager Defty of the Arizona-Mexican Mining Company, has made contracts for $12,000 worth of machinery for the Gran Porvedora mines in the Altar district of Sonora. A smelter will be placed on the property in the fall. The company has its headquarters in Phoenix.

The Crowned King mine, one of the best known and richest of the gold properties of Yavapai county, has been very much tied up during the past four years because of a disagreement between its main owners. The Harrington-Shekles faction, holding two-thirds of the capital stock has been bought out by J. R. McLean of New York, for a new corporation called the Crowned King Mines Company, capitalized for $7,000,000. O. F. Place retains his one-third interest. The new corporation is to erect a great mill below the King, intended for the reduction of custom ores as well as for the pyritic ores of the mine itself.

DIPS AND SPURS.

The offices of the Dividend Consolidated Gold Mines Company have been moved from Prescott to Los Angeles. The Dividend camp is to be equipped at once with a modern electric-lighting-system, for the lighting of all surface and underground workings.

The Midnight Test mine in Groom Creek district, south of Prescott, has been unwatered, and has started up with a small force of miners. The property is considered one of the richest in the district.

A tunnel his been driven to the depth of 11,000 feet on the Grey Eagle Mine in the Bradshaw Mountains. It is along a vein of gold ore four feet in width. A twenty-stamp mill is reducing fifty tons of the ore a day, with a gross output of $2000 a day.

Nearly $100,000 a month in gold is being sent out from the Gold Road mill in Mojave county.

The famous Moss mine, six miles west of the Gold Road camp, is to be worked again. It is a mine noted for its rich specimen rock, and has a record of having produced $114,000 from only two tons of ore from the outcroppings.

A placer miner named Zapeda, lately found a twenty-one-ounce gold nugget three miles east of Skull Valley. It was worth $378.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Well, it was too bad to exclude visitors from one of the most charming mornings of the whole season at the Friday Morning Club just because there was an election, for the election passed off so quietly that one hardly knew that there was an election, and the morning devoted to "Children's Songs" was so fascinating, the paper by Mrs. Wright reaching some tender spots in the hearts of many of the mothers present, and Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst sang all the sweet children's songs that Mrs. Wright told about, and sang them as though a child had whispered to her just how they ought to sound.

Mrs. Wright said in the beginning of her paper that nature demanded music and showed how even in the lower forms of animal life there is a susceptibility to sweet sounds, but children demand music that has a swing, a strongly marked time beat to it, for they are in a primitive stage and all primitive music is simply rhythm, and rhythm is the fundamental element of music. It is especially marked in lullabies, the first music that a child hears, and the genuine cradle song, said Mrs. Wright, has changed very little from the time Mother Eve sang to little Abel and neglected to sing to little Cain, till last night when you rocked your own child to sleep, because it originated in the maternal instinct that is everywhere the same.

A gentle lullaby by Taubert was then sung by Mrs. Tolhurst. It was a German song, but anyone would have known it for a lullaby the world over, and then Mrs. Wright spoke of Italy where when darkness descends "the air vibrates with the beautiful melodies of cradle songs handed down from generation to generation, dating so far back that their origin is lost in antiquity," for childhood is antiquity, and all the things sung to a drowsing child are as distant as the days of Abraham.

Probably this fact may account for our not being frightened into spasms, said Mrs. Wright, by some of the old songs that were intended to lull children to sleep, such as

"In goold old colony times when we were under the king,
These roguish chaps fell into mishaps
Because they would not sing."

And Mrs. Tolhurst proceeded to give the denouement of this startling melody which could hardly be regarded as appropriate to sing a child to sleep, but still another song that seemed so very appropriate was totally misinterpreted by the child who thought that "heavenly blessings without number, gently falling on thy head," meant that some hard material blessings would speedily fall upon his golden head.

That dear little song of Robert Louis Stevenson's, "My Bed is a Little Boat," is very popular because it is from the child's standpoint, and one thought that some sweet-voiced child was singing it when it was given by Mrs. Tolhurst.

The child's impulse to improvise was dwelt upon by Mrs. Wright and the occasion recalled when a child was singing and said she was just singing a papa song, while another child made a song about the sunlight on the water.

What their elders think appropriate for them is seldom what children most enjoy, but amid all the tossings and turnings "Mother Goose still swims like a duck and keeps her glorious reputation above water." The jingles that children love are simple in structure, with short feet, well marked, as in "Jack and Jill," and they love them because they appeal to something awake and responsive within them. Ragtime satisfies their primitive craving for rhythm. Love songs do not appeal to children as a rule, and it is only songs of mother love that they can understand and enter into thoroughly. "Mother Dove with her young ones there" went to illustrate the child's joy in such songs, and this sweet cooing song tells the story of mother love to perfection.

Mrs. Wright said that all nations might claim "Yankee Doodle" if they wished to, but the American small boy has adopted it fo. his own, especially if he is permitted to stamp it noisily as he sings.

"The First Noel" was a beautiful song, a popular one with children that was sung, and then followed "The Froggie's Swimming Pool," "Wise Old Owl," and many others, each illustrating a special phase of child song.

Miss Alice Caldwell was the accompanist.

The result of the election was the ticket as the Nominating Committee had proposed, Mrs. Jones's reflection having been a foregone conclusion from the first, though Mrs. E. K. Foster received a number of votes. Mrs. Jones in her one year's presidency has shown an unusual amount of executive ability and clear-sighted management in the administration of club affairs, and no one doubted that she would be her own successor, especially as the popular Mrs. Foster, who received the next number of votes, and one of her firmest adherents and most ardent supporters, Mrs. Foster, who has the planning of the many excellent programmes that have been given at the Friday Morning Club this year, in addition to her duties as vice-president, was elected again first vice-president, Miss Jennie Collier, second vice-president; secretary, Mrs. T. W. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. N. K. Potter, while the board members are Mrs. Ella Enderlein, Mrs. F. R. Frost, Mrs. Randall Hutchinson, Mrs. J. B. Lippencott, Mrs. H. B. Wing and Mrs. C. T. Whitney.

A Veteran Clubwoman.

Mrs. G. J. Northrup of Marquette, Mich., who was in the city yesterday and who is entertained for a time at Ontario, has been one of the leading members in a woman's club for twenty-five years, having been instrumental in organizing a club in Marquette in 1876, when she returned from the Centennial celebrated in Philadelphia, and where she saw the need of a higher form of culture among the busy women, the wives and mothers of the land. The result was one of the first women's clubs on the borders of Lake Superior, and one of the first in the United States.

Shakespeare Alumni.

The Shakespeare Alumni of the Wednesday Morning Club held a meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. H. E. Brett, at which the annual election of officers took place. Mrs. J. H. Crawford was elected to the presidency, to succeed Mrs. Omar H. Hubbard. Mrs. A. M. Foster was elected vice-president; Miss Isabel Finnie, secretary; Miss Annie Pierce, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. J. A. Douglas, treasurer. The Alumni decided to give a picnic at Eastlake Park on the coming Friday, to which the husbands of the members would be invited.

BLOCK SWEPT BY FLAMES.

BAKERSFIELD BUILDINGS GO UP IN SMOKE QUICKLY.

Loss Aggregates About Twenty-five Thousand Dollars With Insurance Amounting to About Seventeen Thousand Dollars — Burns Like Great Furnace.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, June 3.—The entire block on the south side of Nineteenth street between K and L streets, except one blacksmith shop, has gone up in smoke. The large livery stable and blacksmith shop belonging to H. H. Fish, Mayor of Bakersfield, a small fruit store, a barber shop, Roberts & Graves's meat market, the Q. T. saloon, the California restaurant owned by Chinese, and several other small establishments have been completely wiped out by the fire, which started at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

The whole block was of frame shacks which burned like tinder, the several streams poured on them by the fire department being inadequate to check the flames.

All Nineteenth street for two blocks was like a furnace, buildings on the opposite side being seriously endangered. The fire spread to the Palace Hotel on Nineteenth street on the west side of K street and the building was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars. All the horses and buggies in the livery stable were saved.

The losses by the fire are estimated at $25,000, about $17,000 being covered by insurance.

The damage to the Palace Hotel in the adjoining block will be over $1000.

SUPERVISOR DIES SUDDENLY.

Supervisor J. T. Bottoms suddenly fell dead this afternoon on the ranch of W. N. Bonham near Poso. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of death.

Mr. Bottoms was about 65. Two days ago he left his home to look after some road work in the northern end of the district. He was at the Bonham ranch this afternoon and had dinner there at noon. It was soon after that his demise occurred.

He was a pioneer of this county. By January 1 next he would have served eight years as a member of the Board of Supervisors. He was a resident of Texas before coming to California. He served for four years in the Confederate army.

There survive him two daughters, Mrs. Kate B. Bardon, a teacher in the High School in this city, and a younger married daughter residing in San Francisco.

A Tireless Worker!

A Victim of Nervous Debility, Now a Wonder of Vivacity, Explains the Marvel of the Change.

Mrs. Dora B. Frazier, of No. 140 Althea street, Providence, Rhode Island, is today the very embodiment of vivacity. She is an energetic forewoman in a large laboratory and shows no traces of her recent long struggle with nervous prostration succeeding typhoid pneumopia.

"My illness began in 1898," says Mrs. Frazier, "and lasted for about three years in all, and for three months I was confined to my bed. I made occasional attempts to work, but I could only manage to put in two or three days out of a week at the very best. Several times I was actually at the point of death.

"I had a good physician, but he could not succeed in getting me out of my weak state. It was hard for me to retain any food and my weight dropped down to seventy-five pounds. I had a great deal of dizziness and suffocating spells. One of my legs was swollen so as to interfere with my walking. I could get scarcely any sleep, my color was very pale and I suffered from irregularities that are very painful and depressing to women.

"I dragged out month after month of such an existence. Then I read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in a Providence paper and I thought I would just try them. Before I got through the first box I said to my mother: 'Why, these pills are certainly doing me good.' We both grew hopeful and I kept on taking them steadily for six or seven months and then occasionally for some time longer, and all the time my troubles kept lessening until at last they were gone altogether. I got rid of indigestion, headaches, nervousness, sleeplessness, dragging sensations and irregularities of every kind and my weight ran up thirty-two pounds.

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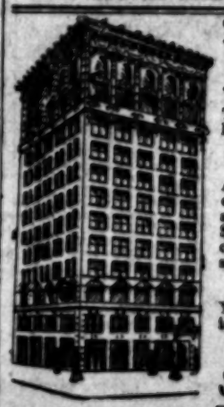

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	84	62	73	New York	64	54	59
Washington	86	68	77	Buffalo	70	56	63
Pittsburgh	78	64	71	Cincinnati	80	64	72
Chicago	68	54	61	St. Paul	62	58	60
St. Louis	76	64	70	Kansas City	76	60	68
Los Angeles	96	61	78	Jacksonville	90	72	81

*The maximum is for June 2; the minimum for June 3. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, June 3.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.69; at 5 p.m., 29.64. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 74 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 97 per cent.; 5 p.m., 47 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum, 61 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The pressure is very high on the North Pacific Slope, and abnormally low in southern California and in the Southwest, which has been giving fair weather, brisk to high northerly winds and high temperature in sections. A brisk northwest wind prevailed at Los Angeles Friday afternoon, with high temperature, the maximum being 95 deg. High winds and a duststorm prevailed Friday in the vicinity of Los Angeles.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, continued warm, tonight and Saturday.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure continues low over Southern California and high over Washington and Oregon. High northerly winds prevail in the interior of California, with afternoon temperatures ranging from 80 to 90 deg. Cooler weather is reported at Los Angeles. A thunderstorm has occurred at Salt Lake City. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Saturday; continued warm; brisk north winds.

Southern California: Saturday, continued warm weather; light easterly winds, changing to northerly.

Nevada: Fair Saturday; warmer.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Saturday; continued warm weather; light north winds, changing to fresh westerly.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Saturday; continued warm; brisk north wind.

Fresno and vicinity: Fair Saturday; continued warm; brisk north wind.

Arizona: Fair Saturday; cooler in southern portion; Sunday fair.

YUMA (Ariz.) June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gauge height of Colorado River, 25.9 feet.

Flow of Rivers.

The following is a statement of the estimated flow of certain Southern California rivers in cubic feet per second or second-feet, one second foot equaling fifty California miners' inches. The record is furnished by S. G. Hemsell, hydrographer of the United States Geological Survey.

COLORADO RIVER AT YUMA, ARIZ.

Date—	1903.	1904.
May 22	34,870	32,470
May 23	36,000	32,520
May 24	35,500	34,470
May 25	36,601	35,632
May 26	35,150	36,320
May 27	34,200	41,000
May 28	36,051	42,000

*SANTA ANA RIVER NEAR MENTONE, CAL.

Date—	1903.	1904.
May 22	117	42
May 23	86	49
May 24	97	44
May 25	96	40
May 26	96	46
May 27	92	43
May 28	92	42

*Santa Ana River is receiving water from Bear Valley Reservoir.

SAN GABRIEL RIVER NEAR AZUSA, CAL.

Date—	1903.	1904.
May 22	168	38
May 23	163	44½
May 24	157	44½
May 25	152	46
May 26	147	51
May 27	142	46½
May 28	138	46

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Family cook, $35 etc.; 25 housegirls, city and country, $25 and $20 etc.; girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.

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Married man.....Ranch.....$25
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WANTED—MAN TO CUT LAWN REGULarly every two weeks. Call 1361 INGRAHAM ST. 4

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade free; all tools furnished. 122 E. SECOND ST. 7

WANTED—BOY FOR DELIVERY; MUST have a wheel; $4 a week. 425 S. BROADWAY. 5

WANTED—MEN TO HELP IN FOUNDRY. VAN VORST & BERMAN, 6th and Carolina.

WANTED—STATIONARY ENGINEER. APply L. A. COOPERAGE CO., Bay and Mateo sts. 4

WANTED—BUSHELMAN; STEADY MAN; good wages. THE HUB CLOTHING CO.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. LOS ANGELES PRINTING CO., 222 W. 1st st. 5

WANTED—SHOEMAKERS AT RIVAL SHOE FACTORY, 305½ S. Fifth st. 5

WANTED—HELPER IN CARRIAGE SHOP. Call at once 204 E. 1ST. 5

WANTED—TRACK FOREMAN, 670, 1111½ E. SECOND ST.

WANTED—

Help. Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS—
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SPRING AND 3RD STS., ROOMS 22-22.
'PHONE MAIN 2568. HOME 1875.
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WANTED—THE HELPMATE
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120 N. MAIN ST.
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German girl, general housework, $20; cook for country place, $30; another nice place, $25. 4

WANTED—NURSEGIRL, $15 AND FD.; good home pantry woman, $7; chambermaid, $25 and found; shirt ironer, $1.25 to $2; tyler ironer, $1.25 to $2; starch ironer, $1.25 to $2; 2 waitresses, small place, $8. MARKS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 125 E. Second. Both 'Phones. 4

WANTED—BUSINESS WOMAN, 25 YEARS old or over, as joint manager of an office; one accustomed to book-keeping, trading with customers, collections and general office work; salary to start, $8 week. Apply room 422, 154 N. SPRING ST. 4

WANTED—FEMALE EMPLOYMENT. 463½ S. Broadway, to fruit store, room 16. Cook and second girl, $30, $25; general housework; no washing, $25. 5

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG LADY STENographer, Remington machine; large concern, good future; salary $25 to start. Apply 1234 BYRNE BLK. 4

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WANTED—LADIES TO LEARN BARBER trade. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, 211 E. First.

WANTED—

Help. Female.

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Situations. Male.

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WANTED—POSITION, CLOTHING, FURnishing and hat salesman, 12 years' experience as manager of department and buyer. Address CLOTHING O, box 65, Times office. 5

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WANTED — JAPANESE, GOOD COOK, wants position for small family, $7 a week up. K. A., 214 S. BROADWAY, city. 4

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Situations. Female.

WANTED — A REFINED AMERICAN woman earnestly desires immediate employment in Los Angeles or vicinity, as working housekeeper in small family; pleasant home with moderate compensation. Address with particulars, MRS. PAYNE, El Dorado, Cal. 9

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WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS colored cooks, male and female, day work or work by the hour; waiters or coachmen, all furnished on short notice. 405 CENTRAL AVE. 'Phone Red 2631. 4

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WANTED—POSITION AS NURSE ATTENDant by trained English woman, country preferred. Address M, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CONFINEMENT nurse would like engagements. K., 770 TOWNE AVE. 'Phone Black 3133. 7

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS WAITRESS wishes situation, will do second work, and can do sewing. 'PHONE 2804. 4

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED young girl for general housework, family of 3, no washing. PHONE 4532.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER or cook by an experienced woman. Call ROOM 14, 617½ E. First, L. A. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE GIRL WANTS POsition as cook or housework. 923 E. BROADWAY. Japanese Mission. 4

WANTED—

Situations. Male and Female.

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE, man coachman, wife housework; private family; state wages, references. E. H., 344 S. FIFTH ST., room 9. 9

WANTED

Rooms.

WANTED—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS (OR one alcove room, 3 with bath, close in; two adults, no housekeeping; permanent. Address, stating rent, P, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 4

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WANTED — MAN WANTS FURNISHED room near Jefferson and Main sts. Address P. box 38, TIMES OFFICE 6

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Work by the Day.

WANTED—WE DO ALL KINDS OF HOUSE cleaning and window washing; your work promptly done. 'PHONE MAIN 2803. 4

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WANTED—GOOD INSURANCE AGENTS. Room 31, 254 BROADWAY. 5

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TO LET—FINE RESIDENCE AT 1245 S. Flower st., 10 large rooms, all modern conveniences, with basement and barn; ready to occupy June 9; rent $60. See P. J. HUMMEL, 116 E. Second. Both 'Phones 963. 5

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TO LET—NEW, 8-ROOM LODGING-HOUSE and restaurant in connection, with French range and chairs; good place. Call at GANAHL'S LUMBER YARD, Pasadena ave. and Avenue 19. Good chance for right party. Owner, 2212 BALDWIN ST., East Los Angeles. 5

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TO LET — PART OF OFFICE, 915 BRALY BLDG. 'Phone Red 7546. 5

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This house is on a finely-elevated lot and in a splendid neighborhood, all built up with fine homes. Southern California is the place for mission homes, and this is one of the most attractive in California; built of the very best Portland cement and thoroughly well constructed; the location in the Westlake district is very choice; there are ten rooms in this modern residence; very finely finished interior; quarter-sawed oak floors; plate-glass windows throughout the house; handsome full brass hardware; the artistic white effect light fixtures, with genuine cut-glass globes; many casement windows; grand reception hall with beamed ceilings; dining-room is a very fine room with elegant hand-carved mantel; living-room has pressed-brick mantel with open fireplace; beamed ceiling in the dining-room; large, convenient kitchen, with everything to make work easy; large pantries with many drawers and bins; there is a good basement with inside and outside entrances; first-class furnace; fine, large bedrooms, all finished in white enamel, each with handsome artistic mantel in one of the front rooms; connecting bedrooms with lavatory; two very fine bathrooms with rock maple floors; every room is of solid oak, with art glass; the arrangement of this home is most convenient; the style of architecture most attractive; lot is large; alley in the rear; this home commands a fine view of the surrounding country and gets lots of sunshine; a very beautiful place.

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This Westlake residence is in a neighborhood that is fully established and built up with fine homes. It is located on high ground and is a most desirable house in every particular. It has a very fine stone front; nice large paneled dining-room; with beam ceilings and a handsome built-in buffet; a number of art glass and casement windows; lighting fixtures are most artistic and very fine; house is finished in weathered oak; floors of quarter-sawed oak; woodwork throughout very finely finished; handsome hardware is used. The house has six good, large bedrooms upstairs and one downstairs; upstairs bedrooms finished in white enamel; three toilets, three lavatories; one of the upstairs rooms is very attractive, having a mantel with open fireplace. Splendid billiard-room with polished double floors. A number of windows in the billiard-room; good cement basement; first-class furnace; large, broad front porch; everything comfortable about this place; one of the homes in the Westlake district that anyone would be proud to own. $11,250 is a most reasonable price.

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FOR SALE— A BARGAIN.

HOUSE COST $5000. LOT WORTH $3000; TOTAL $7000.

Location of this 7-room modern residence is in the Westlake district, and was built for a home; owner worked on house from start to finish, and absolutely knows that it was not slighted; selected lumber was used throughout; painting first-class and will last for years; the plumbing is of the very best; there are three large sunny bedrooms, spacious hallway and large bathroom. Instantaneous heater, and built-in chiffoniers the beautiful oak door, trimmed with best hardware; good-sized living, dining-room, with closet; complete kitchen; sideboard and china tubs, screen porch, with removable windows; two toilets, cement basement, furnace heat in all the rooms, extra fine electric and gas fixtures; this splendid proposition for $5000.

NORTON & HAY, Sole Agents. 223 W. Third. 5

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM NEW cottage, furnished or unfurnished, in beautiful Highland Park, $3300; also new 5-room cottage near 12th and Central ave., $2500, easy terms. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 20

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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE HANDSOMEST houses in the Westlake district; no house better built; no house more complete; elegant, modern 10-room residence; all rooms good size; beautifully finished in Flemish oak; heavy oak floors; finely decorated and tinted throughout; handsome style of lighting fixtures; beautiful large reception hall with beamed ceiling; most attractive dining-room with plate-glass windows and a beautiful mantel; white enamel finish in the drawing-room; large library with brick mantel and circular plate-glass bay window; dining-room has beamed ceilings; kitchen arrangements are perfect; good-sized kitchen; two large pantries; cement basement; first-class furnace; registers in all rooms, including billiard-room; five unusually large bedrooms, white enamel finish, many windows; served big closets; also linen closet; very handsome nickel plumbing throughout; very fine bath; nice balcony; billiard-room is very large; has five large windows. Fine elevated lot, 66x125 feet; handsome retaining wall; grounds are beautifully laid out; front and rear lawns; a profusion of flowers and shrubs. If you want to see as complete a home as there is in the city, address O, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 4

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—$8150—

Drive all over the Westlake district and you will fail to find another such good value as this piece of property for the price. Splendidly built, handsome, modern residence, with oak entrance; heavy doors with beveled and art glass; beautifully finished in Flemish oak downstairs; all unusually handsome hardwood mantels in the parlor; brick mantel in large living-room; the bedrooms are finished in white enamel, rock maple floors; there are connecting bedrooms with lavatory; plumbing throughout the house is the best; very fine bath; large, finished billiard-room; fine furnace; this house in this location cannot be duplicated today at the price asked.

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FOR SALE— NINE-ROOM HOUSE, $4500.

This piece of property is in the Westlake district, very finely located. Elegant large lot, 84x180 feet to alley; splendidly built nine-room residence; every modern convenience and comfort; house is finished in Flemish oak; handsome polished floors; walls are very beautifully tinted; bedrooms are large and airy; good-sized windows and closets; there is a very fine bath. This is an exceptional opportunity to buy a nine-room house in this location. Grounds are all finely improved with lawns, many flowers and shrubs. Good two-story houses surround this piece of property. Better investigate this before you buy. Address P, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 5

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MARKET FOR ORANGES IMPROVES SLIGHTLY.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty-five cars of oranges were sold today.

AGENCY SALES.

The Agency sold twenty-two cars, extra fancy Washington navels 3.60@, average 2.61, 3 to 7 per cent. decay; fancy Washington navels, 2.20@ average 2.44, 5 per cent. decay; choice Washington navels, 3.25@1.60, decay 2.43, 5 to 12 per cent. decay. The Agency sold 596 boxes of extra fancy Washington navels, 375 of which were 80-126s; 384 boxes fancy, of which 279 were 80-126s; 3213 boxes choice, of which 1511 were 80-126s. The highest average on one brand of extra fancy, 3.42, was on one lot of 200 boxes; the highest average on one brand of choice, 2.79, was on one lot of 240 boxes. One car of choice Washington navels, all large sizes, which arrived in very bad order, was not included in the above general average Sandoller bloods, averaged 2.56; Violet bloods, 2.43; Echo bloods, 2.52; S. Sweets, 2.10, in bad order; Gonzalez St. Michaels, 2.50; Rialto sweets 2.40; Violet seedlings, 2.30; Mission seedlings, 2.06, in bad order; Butterfly Valencias, 2.72; Holly Valencias, 2.; Butterfly sweets, 2.52; Holly sweets, 2.24; Blue Globe seedlings, 2.39; Arbutus seedlings, 1.71; in bad order. All cars refrigerators.

INDEPENDENT SALES.

The Independents sold three cars, divided as follows: Hundred boxes orange Price extra fancy St. Michaels, averaged 2.52; 143 boxes Orchard Queen fancy St. Michaels, 2.33; 74 boxes Orange Prince extra fancy grape fruit, 64 cents; 46 boxes Alta Mesa extra fancy sweets, 2.74; 100 boxes Young America fancy sweets 2.46; 133 boxes Golden Eagle extra choice Washington navels, 2.65; 240 boxes Old Mission fancy Washington navels, 2.72; 142 boxes Highland extra fancy grape fruit, 1.57; 262 boxes Whittier extra fancy sweets, 2.58; 80 boxes Whittier extra fancy grape fruit, 1.49.

The market improved slightly under good demands. The weather has been cold and rainy all the week. Prices have advanced a shade since Monday, and sales have been active, with good demand from store. Total sales for the week, 122 cars, against 144 cars last week; 121 cars for the corresponding week last year, and 32 cars in 1903. With good weather, the outlook is good. Sicily lemons advanced 15 to 20 cents during the week. Total sales about 60,000 boxes.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.
OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, June 4, 1904.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,236,923.58, against $1,239.65 for the corresponding day last year. For the corresponding day in 1902, they were $852,757.80.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE. The Los Angeles Stock Exchange issued the following daily bulletin:

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .19	$ .20
Central	.20	.20½
Columbia	.20	....
Continental	.12	.12
California Oil	.24	.25
Crown	.07	.07
Home	125.00	....
Peerless Oil Ref. Co.	.05	.10
Pittsburg Petroleum	.22	.25
Rex Fuel Co.	.50	.54
Rex Oil & Land	....	.04
Shamrock (Pres.)	....	.50
Standard Crude	1.40	1.50
Union	....	....
Victor	.15	.20
Western	35.00	37.00
Associated Oil Ref. Co.	.05	.10
Associated Petroleum	.22	.25
Central Fuel Oil Co.	.50	.54
Central Oil & Land	....	.04
Consolidated Crude	1.40	1.50
Crown	.07	.07
Home	125.00	....
Peerless Oil Ref. Co.	.05	.10
Pittsburg Petroleum	37.00	40.00
Rex Fuel Co.	.50	.54
Rex Oil & Land	....	.04
Shamrock (Pres.)	....	.50
Standard Crude	1.40	1.50
Union	....	....
Victor	.15	.20
Western	35.00	37.00
Associated Oil Co.	.75	.80
Central Oil & Land	....	.04
Consolidated Crude	1.40	1.50
Crown	.07	.07
Home	125.00	....
Peerless Oil Ref. Co.	.05	.10
Pittsburg Petroleum	37.00	40.00
Rex Fuel Co.	.50	.54
Rex Oil & Land	....	.04
Shamrock (Pres.)	....	.50
Standard Crude	1.40	1.50
Union	....	....
Victor	.15	.20
Western	35.00	37.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American G. & C.	$ .40	....
Blue Bell Copper	.02½	.03½
Bell Copper	.30	.32
Bell Mills Copper	....	.12
Gold Mines	15.00	21.75
Gold M. & M. Co.	....	.12
Gold Mines	....	.60
Grand Treasure	....	.05
Golden Anchor	....	37.00
Golden Argus	....	17.00
Golden Cross Consolidated	34.50	....
Golden Rule	.03½	.05½
Golden Star	.25	.30
Grand Mining	4.75	10.00
Green Chief	.07	.12
Gypsy	....	.05
Hawkeye Exploration	....	.01
Hidden Treasure M. & M. Co.	.02½	.03½
Hidden Treasure Mining	34.75	....
Hot Air Tin M. Co.	....	.30
Hubbard & M. Co.	....	....
Independence M. & M. Co.	.15	.16
Inyo Gold	....	....
Iron Kid Mining Co.	....	.16
Kern Mining	....	....

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$107.50	$110.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	140.00	150.00
Citizens National	260.00	300.00
Commercial	301.50	....
Farmers & Merchants Bank	106.00	112.00
First National	108.00	....
First Savings Bank	110.00	....
German Savings & Loan Soc.	120.00	....
Hellman Commercial Trust & Sav. Bank	220.00	221.00
Los Angeles Trust	200.00	....
Merchants National	250.00	....
Mexican-American	50.00	....
Pacific Southwest Bank	101.50	102.00
Savings Bank of L. A.	65.00	....
Security	180.00	200.00
South Pasadena	98.50	100.00
Southern California National	255.00	....
Southern California Savings Bank	235.00	....
Southern California Trust Co.	250.00	....
Southern Counties Gas Co.	127.50	....
Southern National	106.00	112.50
Southern Trust & Savings	101.50	104.00
State Bank of Savings	215.00	....
Union Trust Co., Pasadena	210.00	....
Union Trust Co.	200.00	....
Western National	200.00	....

*Per cent paid up.
†Extra dividend 12 paid December, 1902, and December, 1903.

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	$ .75	$ .80
Bakersfield & K. R. Ry.	....	102.00
California Development	....	100.00
California Pacific R.R.	....	100.00
Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
Port. Cement Co. com.	....	98.50
Pacific Coast Ry. Co.	....	102.00
Pasadena Water Co.	....	94.00
Pasadena Elec. Co.	....	97.50
Pasadena Elec. Co. (old issue)	95.00	100.00
Pasadena Gas Co.	84.25	85.00
Pasadena Gas Co.	96.00	102.00
Pacific Electric Co.	110.00	115.00
Pacific Electric Co.	104.00	107.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	....	102.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	....	97.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	....	94.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	90.00	92.00
Pacific Ry. Co.	105.00	106.00
Pacific & O. L. & F. Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Improvement Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Improvement Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Electric Ry.	....	102.00
Pacific Water Co.	....	92.75
Pacific Water Co.	....	100.00
Pasadena Elec. & P. Co.	....	100.00
Pasadena Trans. Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Water Co.	....	100.00

Prices include accrued interest.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Portland Cement Co.	....	$ 53.00
Pacific Electric pfd.	$ 86.00	88.00
Pacific Electric com.	70.00	75.00
Pacific Telephone	44.75	45.00
Pacific Trust	44.75	50.00
Los Angeles Brewery	104.00	105.00
Los Angeles Jockey Club	86.00	100.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	60.00	100.00
Los Angeles Drug Co.	....	100.00
California Hospital	100.50	....
Emergency Hospital	....	45.00
Pacific Wireless Tel. Co.	....	6.00
Pacific Gas & Trust pfd.	108.50	....
Preservative Life Ins. Co.	100.00	....
Riverside Water Co.	40.00	42.00

EXCHANGE NOTES. Business on change continues mediocre, with calls favoring such stocks and bonds as Home Telephone, and Edison Electric. The first business done for someone in oil stocks or bonds was yesterday in Associated Oil at 19¼.

Sales for the day were: One Associated Oil bond, 75½, and one Home Telephone bond, buyer 30, at 96.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SAVINGS. The reports in these columns yesterday regarding the deposits of two of the large savings banks would hardly be complete without the mention of the Southern California Savings Bank, whose deposits on June 1, 1902, were $3,380,558, and on June 1, 1904, $4,472,879, a difference of $1,092,321.

The business of this bank is reported to have shown vast improvement since the removal to Fourth and Spring.

HARRIMAN OPTIMISTIC. Mr. Harriman is talking quite optimistically to his friends upon the future of Union Pacific, and is said to have ordered purchase of the stock. In some quarters this is thought to indicate an increase in the dividend rate next fall; others hold that some financial readjustment is pending which will warrant higher prices. As regards the matter of dividends, it is hardly conceivable, under present industrial conditions, that the Harriman interests will depart from their usual course of conservatism. It is much more likely that they will wait until 1905, when, unless earnings decrease materially, the Southern Pacific will be upon a dividend paying basis. Union Pacific, through its ownership of $90,000,000 of Southern Pacific stock, if a 3 per cent. dividend were declared upon that issue, would receive some $2,700,000 additional income, or about 2 4-10 per cent. on its own stock.—[United States Investor.

COMMERCIAL.

SARDINES. The new pack of Maine sardines, while not fully up to quality of a year ago, at this time, is being offered at slightly more than that price. Jobbers have contracted for their supplies but at higher prices than the same fish can be bought for at this time.

IMPORTANT TO WINE GROWERS. The first annual meeting of the newly-organized American Wine Growers' Association has been called for the morning of the 14th inst., at the Iroquois Hotel, Buffalo, and will probably last two days. It is expected that about 100 delegates will attend, representing practically the full strength of the American wine trade east of the Rocky Mountains, and that a large delegation will be present from California as well, one of the principal objects of the meeting being to interest the California growers in the movement for raising the standard of American wines which has been started by the association.

Until recently there has been a good deal of jealousy between the Californian and the eastern growers, but several conferences which have been held recently have done away with much of that, and the Californians are quite convinced that it is to their interest to build up a reputation for the wines of California, as such, instead of selling them as imitations of European wines.

Among the subjects which it is announced will be discussed at the meeting in Buffalo are the following:

Changes needed in the present State and national laws.

Revision of the classification and freight rates on wines.

The needs of viticulture in the eastern States.

Practical problems connected with wine making.

Necessity of a good credit department.

Appointment of a committee to cooperate with the California wine growers.

Legislation is also of vital interest to the wine trade. The Pure Food Committee, which has lately been holding hearings with a view of guiding the Secretary of Agriculture in establishing food standards, took some testimony in the common adulterations of wine. Most of the trade, however, care little for State legislation, which is all that can result from this inquiry.

A SENSIBLE IDEA. The potato shippers in Oklahoma and other large shipping sections, have started a new inspection idea which should prevail throughout the United States before many years.

The Produce Reporter Company of Minneapolis, has a thorough man on the ground in shipping districts, whose duty it is to give a report on all patatoes loaded at his station. This report being neutral is alike fair to shipper and receiver and is proving very satisfactory to both.

Why could not this same arrangement be adopted by orange shippers and buyers, since the f.o.b. plan is to be the future plan of selling oranges on the Coast?

COMMERCIAL NOTES. The world's visible supply of raw sugar is 2,970,000 tons, as against 2,950,000 tons last week and 3,140,000 tons last year.

Valencia late oranges have begun to arrive at New York in full cars. The first car at auction last week was offered by P. Ruhlman & Company, and brought an average of $2.92 a box.

There has been a recent revival of export demand for Congou teas in the New York market and sales of about 1000 packages are reported having been made for shipment to London. New crop Congou teas are reported at 11 cents, c.i.f., as lowest.

The available supply of lemons in New York decreased 73,350 boxes during the past week, and prices advanced 50 cents a box. The total available supply at present is 280,950 boxes, against 354,300 boxes a week ago. The warm weather is creating a heavy demand from the retailers throughout the country.

It was announced in the grocery district last week that Brady & Company of Seattle, had named prices for the 1904 pack of sockeye salmon as follows: Tails, $1.40; flats, $1.50, and halves, 90 cents f.o.b. The prices are regarded as purely speculative, as no one can tell before July just what the pack will amount to. Owing to the demand by both Russia and Japan for army rations, the supply of last year's pack is very low, and higher prices are expected.

CITRUS MOVEMENTS. Wednesday, oranges, 119; lemons, 21; total carloads, 23,138. Thursday, oranges, 104; lemons, 13; total carloads, 23,-258.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Roasting ears or green corn was shown on the market for the first time yesterday and sold at 50 cents per dozen. It is hardly far enough along, San Diego contributes.

Dewberries are moving along slowly and coming in too freely.

Cabbage has very little sale at even the bargain counter price of 30c.

Strawberries are coming in more slowly, and going as usual at quotations.

Early Rose potatoes are becoming more common and selling indifferently.

In ten days the old spud must give way to the new. Rincon sent some of the finest potatoes shown on the local markets as yet. Being strictly fancy they brought $1.65 and $1.75 a sack.

Local apricots came in yesterday, and while not so large, they are superior as to taste.

Local new crop alfalfa is sold as fast as it comes in for $12.50 a ton.

Evaporated apples and dried peaches are in demand and very scarce.

Eastern cheese to the extent of 60,000 pounds went into cold storage during the past few days. Some dealers think May cheese about old enough to put away.

Extra fancy sweet potatoes are offered by the Patterson Co. at 5c a pound. This is the clean-up of sweets, but having been stored six months, they are almost sugar yams.

As predicted in these columns, the price of local ranch eggs advanced another cent.

About three hundred ranch boxes of apricots came in yesterday and sold slowly at 4 to 5c. Cherries came in very heavy, fifteen tons being offered during the day. The price is 6 to 7c in bulk.

Heavy winds kept the fish in abeyance, but what came in were tagen easily. A few crabs were sold during the day.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, ranch, 22 doz.; case count, 20; northern, 15 doz.

CHEESE — Cal. Anchor, 12; Cal. Y. A., 12; Cal. hand, 2s, 14; northern, 11@12; cheddars, eastern, 13; Dom. Swiss, 21; Imp. Swiss, 26½.

BUTTER—Board of Trade creamery, 2-lb. squares, 25; valley creamery, 25; Coast creamery, 25; choice Coast creamery, 25@; fancy dairy, 24; choice dairy, 22½.

BEANS—Pinks, 3.50@3.60; Lady Washington, 2.25@2.50; small white, 2.60@2.75; black eyes, 2.50@2.75; Limas, 3.75@4.00; Garbanzos, 4.00@4.25; lentils, 3.00@3.25 qwt.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 4; apricots, 10@11; choice peaches, 5; fancy peaches, 10; fancy evaporated crop Persian dates, 6½; Fards, 6½; figs, California white, box, 75@85; California black, lb., 4½; imported Smyrna, 12½.

RAISINS—Clusters, per box, 1.75@2.25; London Layers, 1.75@2.00; loose, 5½@7; seed sultanas, 5½@6.

NUTS—Almonds, paper shells, 15; soft, 12½; hard, 10@11; Brazils, 12½; filberts, 12½; pecans, eastern raw, 12@; roasted, 14@15; cocoanuts, 4.50@5.00; California fancy raw, 5½@6; California roasted, 6½; walnuts, softshell, No. 1, 12½@14; hardshells, 12.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, per lb., 7@7½; veal, per lb., 8; mutton, per lb., 8@8½; lamb, lb., 10; pork, per lb., 8@8½.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS — Flour, per bbl., local mills, 4.20@5.00; northern, 5.00; Pillsbury, 6.65; eastern low grades, 4.00@5.00; graham, 2.40@2.50; rye flour, 3.25@3.50; rolled barley 1.25; cracked corn, 1.35; bran, 1.25; feed meal, 1.40.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES—Lemons, per box; choice to fancy, 1.50@1.50; oranges, navels, choice to fancy, 1.50; Mexican fruit, per box, 1.50@2.00; limes, per box, 1.00; bananas, per lb., 4½; strawberries, per box, fancy, 40@; rhubarb, fancy, 85 box; loquats, 85 box; apricots, 40@; red cherries, 50@75 box; black cherries, 60@7; bulk black cherries, 6@8; raspberries, 12; pineapples, 3.50 doz.; blackberries, 40@; gooseberries, 75@85 box; watermelons, 4.00 doz.; loganberries, 60@; black figs, 1.50 box; currants, 1.00 box; cantaloupes, 1.50 doz.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Honey, per lb., 5@30; honey, comb, frames, 13; ex. water white, 6; ex. white, 5½.

HAY AND GRAIN — Barley, per cwt., 1.35; oats, 1.60; corn, 1.45; wheat, 1.65; extra choice to fancy, 12.00@17.00 per ton; oat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; wheat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; new crop, local, 12.50.

POTATOES—Salinas, 2.25; Highland, fancy, 1.50; Oregon, fancy, 1.75@2.00; Nevada Burbanks, 1.50@1.75; Early Rose, 1.75@2.00 cwt.

ONIONS — Silverskin, fancy, 1.25@1.30 per cwt.; Red Nevadas, 1.40@1.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, cwt., 50; cabbage, 75 cwt.; carrots, dozen bunches, 40@50; cress, per lb., 10@12½; dry chilies, per string, 40@50; lettuce, 12½ doz.; parsnips, 1.00 cwt.; peas, 2½@3; radishes, 20@; garlic, 12 lb.; watercress, 20; spinach, 30; tomatoes, 2½@3 per crate; string beans, new, 3; turnips, 75; cabbage, 1½@; new potatoes, 3½; sun plant, 20c lb.; new onions, 20@30 doz; squash, 60 box; cauliflower, 65@75 doz.; green corn, 50 doz.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in fair conditions, as follows: Hens, per lb., 14@15; ducks, 14@15; turkeys, 16@17; geese, 10@12; broilers, 22@25; fryers, 22. Selling price, per lb., dressed, old roosters, 12; old hens, 12@20; young roosters, 15@20; broilers, per doz., 3.00@4.00; fryers, 4.00@5.00; live turkeys, 25; ducks, 1@2 lb., geese, 12 lb.

PROVISIONS — Lard, pure, per lm., three bbls, Silver Leaf, 9½; Rex, 9½; White Label, 9½; Orange Blossom, 9; Compound lard, per lb., three bbls, 7.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; Winchester, 16½; Premium, 14½; Gold Band, 14½.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., bellies, 12; short cut, 11½; clear backs, 11½.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 16@17½.

PICKLED PORK—$6.00 bbl.

BREAKFAST BACON — Rex, 18; Winchester, 15½; Empire, 14½; Premium, 19; Diamond "C," 14; 40's, 17½; Gold Dust, 15.

SUGAR—(Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Ubls. 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c, 50-lb. sacks 10c per cwt. higher.) Best, 5.25; cane, 4.95; Ext. C, 4.85; Golden C, 4.75; Magnolia "A," 5.05; tablets, ½ bbl., 4.45; tablets, 5.35; cube, 4.15; powdered, 4.05; conf. A, 4.95; boxes, 4.70.

STATE OF TRADE.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say that interruptions of industrial progress by the holiday, labor conflicts and inclement weather again produced a somewhat unsatisfactory trade situation. Yet the money market is easy and accommodation readily obtained in legitimate business channels. Liabilities of mercantile failures are comparatively small, indicating that most concerns have prepared for a quiet season, and are able to withstand a period of diminished sales and tardy payments. The attitude of industries, the fundamentally strong feature of the situation, and when business revives, there will be no pressure to dispose of heavy stocks of undesirable goods. Manufacturing establishments have reduced hours and wages, and several strikes have added to the army of unemployed. No definite change is reported in the iron and steel industries, furnaces barely maintained and new contracts placed with great discrimination. Commercial failures this week in the United States are 220, against 192 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 26, against 17 last week, 12 the preceding week, and 24 against 228 last week, 254 the preceding week, last year.

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say that, pending the uncertainty of future crop outturn, the general trade in industry is quiet to the verge of dullness. Crop prospects have improved in some sections, but complaints come in from other sections, so that the situation is as a whole still irregular. The volume of May business, both at wholesale and retail, was disappointing, confirmation of this being found in the decreases in the bank clearings, and in railway earnings from a year ago, while failures were more numerous, though less costly, than in recently preceding months, while showing increases on a year ago. Iron and steel is dull, and coal and cotton manufacturing are notably quiet for this season of the year. There are, however, some signs of underlying confidence in future trade. These consist of the somewhat improved inquiry for fall goods at some western, southern and eastern points, a rather better tone in the shoe and leather industry, the East, setting buyers at bedrock prices of the new western wool clip, and fairly good reports from the woolen industry, notably that part dealing with clothing trade. Collections partake of the irregularity, but are still classable as fair. Prices of staples show a general sagging tendency, part of which is seasonable. Briefly summed up, the situation is generally certain, but the character and return of the growing crops, and until this matter is settled, most authorities look for comparative quiet in most lines. Business failures in the United States for the week ending June 2 number 194, against 1849 last week. Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending June 2 aggregate 1,527,295 bushels, against 1,194,900 last week.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—During the first hour of today's market the large buying orders were executed in a number of stocks, lifting them to a higher level and causing the general market to harden in sympathy. The movement was not pursued, and the market fell into intense dullness, with no evidence of a disposition either to buy or sell. The undertone was kept firm by the absence of selling pressure, but the market was as near stagnant as at any time since the present neglect set in. The recovery in prices was not accounted for by anything in the day's news. Excessive rains in the grain regions were counted against the prospects of the crops, and some rather sensational reports circulated in Wall street of damage by floods. The nervous tone in the cotton market gave rise to some rather disturbing rumors of money troubles growing out of the conditions in that market, but the effect was ignored on the stock exchange. An unofficial estimate on the acreage of the present crop and the June 1 report received more attention in the stock market than did the movements in the cotton market itself. The estimates of the week's currency movement indicate a continuance of the flow to this center. New York gain seems to be less than last week, and New York exchange at Chicago is rising slightly. With the gain on sub-treasury operations, there is promise of an increase in cash of over 7,000,000, to be shown by tomorrow's bank statement. The statement of the June 1 money in the country was of interest, as showing a decrease of but $23,865,218 for May, in spite of the heavy outgo of gold. The month's decrease is more than accounted for by the decline in gold coin and certificates. But, compared with a year ago, the amount of money in circulation has increased $127,356,092, of which $66,351,978 was in gold coin and certificates. The indifference to the present outflow of gold, unprecedented as it is in volume, for the period covered is thus understood. Permission was given today for the telegraphic transfer to New York of $1,750,000 in Japanese yen to arrive in San Francisco next week. The reports of net earnings for April of the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific were decidedly more favorable than has been the rule for that month. The stocks of these roads were even more dull and indifferent than the average of the list. A fall in the price of copper was without effect in stocks. Fractional advances in the coolers and in United States Steel preferred made the close firm with prices well maintained. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,-765,000. United States new 4s advanced ¼ per cent on call.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, June 4.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended June 2, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Per ct. Dec.
New York	$ 882,672,979	....	29.5
Chicago	143,971,979	....	5.7
Boston	95,165,083	....	22.7
Philadelphia	82,125,976	....	19.3
St. Louis	27,362,153	3.6	....
Pittsburg	23,257,331	....	24.6
San Francisco	20,725,113	....	5.7
Baltimore	19,954,623	....	9.7
Cincinnati	19,783,200	....	4.1
Kansas City	15,980,499	17.4	....
New Orleans	12,516,127	23.7	....
Cleveland	11,420,541	....	22.3
Minneapolis	10,704,950	3.6	....
Detroit	8,264,548	....	4.1
Louisville	9,114,294	....	9.3
Omaha	6,474,930	2.1	....
Milwaukee	6,221,284	7.3	....
Providence	4,725,500	11.6	....
Buffalo	3,965,939	....	3.4
Indianapolis	3,677,435	....	13.5
St. Paul	4,661,423	....	7.3
LOS ANGELES	5,932,105	....	....
St. Joseph	4,473,629	35.1	....
Denver	3,752,451	....	7.9
Columbus	2,891,100	....	34.7
Memphis	2,589,274	....	17.9
Seattle	2,977,055	....	4.7
Richmond	4,099,025	....	37.5
Washington	4,154,334	2.6	....
Savannah	2,490,961	21.2	....
Albany	3,117,490	....	20.4
Portland, Or.	3,164,712	....	12.3
Fort Worth	3,983,239	....	....
Toledo, O.	2,629,812	....	4.4
Salt Lake City	3,627,202	8.8	....
Peoria	2,385,733	....	13.6
Atlanta	2,144,757	12.3	....
Rochester	3,896,944	6.5	....
Hartford	2,344,241	....	20.2
Nashville	2,381,873	5.2	....
Des Moines	1,729,361	39.3	....
Spokane, Wash.	1,711,587	....	30.2
Tacoma	1,785,553	5.9	....
Grand Rapids	1,858,822	6.8	....
New Haven	1,540,349	....	18.7
Dayton	1,514,789	....	34.4
Norfolk	1,584,738	....	9.9
Springfield, Mass.	1,276,453	....	22.7
Worcester	1,178,413	....	32.9
Portland, Me.	1,286,725	1.3	....
Augusta, Ga.	680,765	....	21.7
Topeka	961,317	9.6	....
Sioux City	1,153,905	....	50.7
Syracuse	868,065	....	22.7
Evansville	1,180,775	14.3	....
Birmingham	1,228,130	9.7	....
*Houston	9,797,174	....	9.6
*Galveston	6,581,900	34.5	....
Totals for the United States	$1,671,780,553	....	22.4

*Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High- est.	Low- est.	Clos- ing.
Atchison	3,100	69¼	68¾	69
Atchison pfd	100	93½	93½	93
Baltimore & Ohio	1,300	77¾	77¾	77
B. & O. pfd	....	....	....	93
Canadian Pacific	200	137¾	137¾	137¾
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	155
Chesapeake & Ohio	500	29¾	29¾	29¾
Chicago & Alton	....	....	....	35
Chicago & Alton pfd	....	....	....	75
Chicago & N. W.	1,600	149¾	149¾	149¾
Chicago & N. W.	100	169½	169½	169½
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	1,300	129¾	129¾	129¾
C., M. & St. P. pfd	....	....	....	173½
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	400	....	....	7¾
Chicago & E. pfd	200	54	54	54
C., C., C. & St. L.	....	....	....	85
Colorado Southern	500	14¾	14	14
Colo. So. 1st pfd	100	69	69	69
Colo. So. 2nd pfd	....	....	....	39
Delaware & Hudson	1,600	153¾	153¾	153¾
Del., Lack. & Western	100	260	260	260
Denver & Rio Grande	100	19¼	19¼	19¾
D. & R. G. pfd	....	....	....	88
Erie	2,500	37½	36¾	37
Erie 1st pfd	1,900	69¾	69¾	70
Erie 2nd pfd	....	....	....	51
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	82
Hocking Valley pfd	....	....	....	92
Illinois Central	300	129½	129½	129
Iowa Central	....	....	....	14
Iowa Central pfd	....	....	....	33
Kansas City Southern	100	29	29	29
K. C. Southern pfd	....	....	....	57
Louisville & Nashville	400	108¾	108¾	107
Manhattan L.	1,200	140¾	141	144
Metropolitan Securities	....	....	....	56
Metropolitan St. Ry.	1,400	130½	129¾	130¾
Minn. & St. Louis	100	69	69	69
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	200	63	61½	61½
Mink., St. Paul pfd	....	....	....	158
Missouri Pacific	1,200	89¾	89¼	89¾
Missouri, Kan. & Tex.	....	....	....	11¾
M., K. & T. pfd.	200	33½	33½	33½
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd.	....	....	....	33
New York Central	400	134¾	134¾	134¾
Norfolk & Western	100	54	54	53½
N. & W. pfd	....	....	....	84
Ontario & Western	11,400	22¾	22	22¾
Pennsylvania	2,400	117¾	117¾	117¾
P., C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	75
Reading	25,600	44¾	44¼	44¾
Reading 1st pfd	....	....	....	82
Reading 2nd pfd	....	....	....	63½
Rock Island Co.	2,900	30¾	30¾	30¾
Rock Island Co. pfd	100	63½	63½	63½
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	100	47¾	47¾	47¾
St. Louis, S. W.	800	16¾	16¾	16¾
St. L. & S. W. pfd	400	28¾	28	28
Southern Pacific	1,600	69¾	69¼	69¼
Southern Railway	5,600	19¾	19½	19¾
So. Railway pfd	....	....	....	63
Texas & Pacific	200	30¾	30¾	30¾
Toledo, St. L. & W.	100	23	23	23½
T., St. L. & W. pfd	200	36¾	36¾	36¾
Union Pacific	7,800	82	82	82
Union Pacific pfd	100	91¾	91¾	91¾
Wabash	....	....	....	24¾
Wabash pfd	100	35¾	35¾	35¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	24
Wisconsin Central	....	....	....	24½
Wisconsin Central pfd	....	....	....	57¾
Mexican Central	1,200	7¼	6¾	6¾
Express Companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	223
American	....	....	....	178
United States	....	....	....	109
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	210
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	8,100	49¾	49	49¾
Am. Car & Foundry	200	36¾	36¾	36¾
Am. C. & F. pfd	....	....	....	104
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	37
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	....	....	....	97
American Ice	100	6¾	6¾	6¾
American Linseed	100	20¾	20¾	20
American Linseed Oil pfd	....	....	....	47½
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	100	22	22	22
American Locomotive	400	19¾	19¾	19¾
Am. Locomotive pfd	....	....	....	104
Am. Smelting & Ref.	200	81¾	81¾	82
Am. S. & R. pfd	300	97¾	97¾	97¾
*Am. Sugar Refining	400	125	125	125
Anaconda Mining Co.	....	....	....	43
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	2,500	47¾	46¾	47
Colorado Fuel & Iron	200	39¾	39¾	39
Consolidated Gas	3,500	204½	202¾	203½
Corn Products	....	....	....	9
Corn Products pfd	300	66	66½	66
Distillers' Securities	....	....	....	45
General Electric	100	155	155	154½
International Paper	....	....	....	10
Int'l Paper pfd	....	....	....	45
International Pump	200	34½	34	33¾
Int'l Pump pfd	....	....	....	91
National Lead	1,200	19¾	19¼	19¼
North American	....	....	....	91½
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	44½
People's Gas	....	....	....	94
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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Bankrupt Solicitor.

William T. Calderwood, an insurance solicitor of this city, has asked to be declared a bankrupt, giving the amount of his liabilities as $934.87, with no unexempt assets.

Postal Receipts.

The total receipts of the Los Angeles postoffice for the month just passed were $46,842.92, as compared with $39,795.88 for May, 1903, showing an increase of $7047.04, or 17.7 per cent.

Seat Sale.

Seats will be on sale this morning at the box office of the Mason Operahouse for the large testimonial concert to be tendered L. Behymer Tuesday evening.

Tug Goes North.

The Southern Pacific tug Collis left Port Los Angeles yesterday for San Francisco to remain during the summer. The prevailing winds are such during the summer that vessels nearing Port Los Angeles seldom require the services of a tug.

Mrs. Huling Dead.

The many friends of Mrs. George V. Huling will regret to learn of her death, which occurred Thursday at her home in Kankakee, Ill. Mrs. Huling had spent the past three years at the Westminster Hotel, and left here on May 21. She died from pneumonia soon after reaching home.

Divorce and Psychology.

"Divorce, from the Standpoint of Psychology," will be the subject of Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall's psychic-science lecture at Blanchard Hall Sunday afternoon. Dr. McIvor-Tyndall will trace the psychological cause of the divorce question to its present condition, and suggest what he considers the remedy.

Republicans Tonight.

The monthly "jollification" of the Republican League of Los Angeles County will be held in the clubrooms this evening at 7:30 o'clock. This will be the last meeting before the Republican National Convention. Speeches will be made by Oscar Lawler, Oscar Mueller, Maj. J. H. Norton and J. W. McKinley. Music and refreshments.

Koepfli Not a Candidate.

J. O. Koepfli of the Municipal League writes a letter to The Times referring to implications which he says have been made to the effect that he has permitted his name to be used in connection with the Mayoralty, and stating that he is not a candidate for Mayor, or for any office, and would not accept any public office if it were tendered to him.

Great Incohonee Coming.

Two of the prominent officers of the Improved Order of Red Men will arrive in this city Monday morning with their wives. They are Thomas G. Harrison, Great Incohonee, and Wilson H. Brooks, Great Chief of Records of the Great Council of the United States. Arrangements have been made for a reception to these visitors in Blanchard's Hall Wednesday evening.

Reception to Engineers.

The Chamber of Commerce will tonight tender the reception to the visiting delegates and members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and their ladies which was postponed on account of the death of a prominent member of the visiting order. The public is invited to meet the engineers and enjoy music and refreshments in the exhibit hall of the chamber.

Buoy Adrift.

When the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's express steamer State of California reached Port Los Angeles yesterday, Capt. Nicholson reported to the United States officers at the long wharf that the whistling buoy at Point Dume is adrift. He sighted the buoy seven miles from the point at which it had been anchored. One of the vessels searching the Santa Barbara channel for the wrecked Alcatraz wharf has been dispatched to recover the buoy.

Fire in Refinery.

The bursting of a pipe leading from one of the oil stills in the plant of the Densmore-Stabler Refining Company, No. 2474 East Ninth street, last evening, caused a fire which for a time threatened the place. All the firemen could do was to confine the flames to the one still until the oil in it had burned out. Woodwork around the pipe line was burned. The loss will not exceed $500 and the fire will not interfere with business.

Quiet Burglars.

In order to deaden noise, burglars pasted a heavy sheet of paper over a front window in the store of Edward Bear, No. 2521 East Twenty-first street, early yesterday morning and then smashed the glass. They secured $9.75 from the cash drawer. William Primmerdorf, proprietor of a saloon at Ninth and San Pedro streets, reported yesterday that burglars entered his place through a transom before 5 o'clock yesterday morning and stole six pints of whisky and six packages of tobacco.

Murphy's Meeting.

Francis Murphy, the redoubtable enemy of strong drink, has arranged a special programme for the gospel temperance meeting at Blanchard's Hall Sunday night. The chaplain of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, George R. Dorrity, and two of its prominent members, Messrs. Gardner and Hiner, will speak, and Murphy will talk on "The Great Invitation." The musical features will include solos by Mines. French and Harris of Boston and a chorus choir under the direction of Charles Lamb.

Caught With Booty.

Three valuable gold rings were stolen yesterday afternoon from the room of Mrs. N. O. Harman, No. 512 South Los Angeles street and when she reported to the detectives she described two young men who had been at the house visiting another family. From her description Detective Bert Cowen arested Herbert J. Faulk and Robert W. Becker last night on North Main street. They were identified as the visitors and in Becker's pocket was found one of the stolen rings. The other two had been sold.

Woman Seriously Injured.

Mrs. Mary M. Barnes of New York avenue, near Avenue 64, was the victim of an accident at Fourth and Broadway that will confine her to her bed for many weeks. She was sitting in a light spring wagon holding her horses when a team of the Los Angeles Transfer Company was driven by, and a rear wheel of the heavy truck caught a rear wheel of Mrs. Barnes's vehicle and threw her out onto the pavement. Her hip was broken and she sustained other injuries which are considered serious. Mrs. Barnes was taken to the Emergency Hospital.

Union Rescue Mission.

Will C. Trotter, superintendent of the Union Rescue Mission, yesterday submitted to the directorate his May report. He shows seventy-three services held during the month, and free-will offerings in baskets at the mission amounting to $76.95. Ninety persons professed conversion and two united with city churches. Tonight at 6:30, Mrs. DeCheney will conduct a converts' meeting at the mission, and at 8 o'clock the singing evangelist, L. F. Conner, and wife, will sing. Sunday evening the "Indian Territory Cyclone," J. E. Wolfe, will address a meeting at the mission. The gospel-wagon quartette will sing, and Superintendent Trotter will tell the story of his wonderful deliverance from the curse of rum.

BREVITIES.

Subscribers to The Times are offered a $7.50 Columbia graphophone at cost of freight, handling, etc., to wit: $1.25, which includes a single record of your own selection. The price of gold-molded records under this arrangement is 25 cents each; (former charge 50 cents each.) The machine can be heard to play at The Times office, where it is on exhibition daily. The plan will be explained fully to anyone calling at The Times' Graphophone Department.

The hours for the box sale of jewelry at the Los Angeles Watch Company, 453 South Broadway, today are from 10 a.m to 10 p.m. Not 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. as appeared in Friday's Times.

Notice—Presbyterian ministers' meeting will be at Immanuel Presbyterian Church at 10:30 a.m. Monday. Address will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Walker, on his trip to Jerusalem.

Rev. W. R. Newell of Chicago the great Bible Teacher will preach in First Baptist church, 727 South Flower street, tomorrow at 11 o'clock.

The Hotel Rosslyn Café, No. 433 S. Main street, serves best 50-cent dinners in city—short orders all day. Hart Bros., props.

The San Francisco office of The Times is located in room 10, Chronicle Building. Telephone Red 5393.

The Claflin Quartette will sing at First Baptist church, 727 South Flower street tomorrow at 11 and 7:45.

Phillips, tailor, moved to 219 S. Hill.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for Alice Henderson, Mrs. E. Dolan, W. A. Bissell, Allen Silva, Dick Cavallera, J. A. Lyons, Mrs. W. H. Carter, Mrs. Guy S. Garner, L. J. Elliott, Mrs. James D. Murray, Miss Clementine Peeler, William Clevenger, Mrs. Helen Berners, Mrs. Catherine Zell, C. F. Brown, Mrs. D. D. Dickey, Stanley Brisk, Miss Mable Conden, Mrs. S. F. Dayton, Mrs. Mary E. Moore, W. E. Wilson, Mrs. F. R. Fisk, Guadalupe y de Lamphar.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company for Marie Roman, Conrad Knewel, Frank Reiper and Scmmer.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Edward E. Brown, aged 32, a native of Indiana, and Pearl Fernsworth, aged 19, a native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

Russell Smith, aged 22, a native of Iowa, and Bessie Riley, aged 19, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

James E. Wright, aged 24, a native of Ohio, and Bertha Wakefield, aged 23, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

M. Laforest Jones, aged 60, a native of Massachusetts, and Winifred M. Donohue, aged 46, a native of Kentucky; both residents of Los Angeles.

Otis T. Whiting, aged 29, a native of Iowa and resident of Ventura, and Mattie A. Cook, aged 26, a native of California and resident of Santa Barbara.

Ezra Johnson, aged 43, a native of England and resident of Los Angeles, and Emma E. Scott, aged 35, a native of England and resident of Chicago.

William P. Finnell, aged 58, a native of Tennessee and resident of Sawtelle, and Rosetta M. Coon, aged 60, a native of Kentucky and resident of Los Angeles.

Otto R. Wehner, aged 38, a native of Germany, and Jennie M. Tolf, aged 31, a native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

William R. Galland, aged 29, a native of Colorado, and Edna A. Shearer, aged 18, a native of Colorado; both residents of Pasadena.

BIRTH RECORD.

GOLDWATER—To the wife of Abe J. Goldwater, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD.

BURKE—In this city, June 1, Mrs. Tillie Burke, beloved wife of John W. Burke, a native of Minnesota, aged 31 years. Funeral Sunday at 2 p.m. from Plymouth Congregational Church, Twenty-first street and Estrella avenue. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

BROCKMAN—In this city, June 3, 1904, at his late residence, Main street and Slauson avenue, Carl Brockman, a native of Germany, aged 12 years. Funeral Sunday, June 5, at 2:30 p.m., from Harmony M. E. Church, corner Figueroa street and Slauson avenue.

FOLSOM—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Humphrey, No. 1021 Maple avenue, June 2, 1904, David H. Folsom, aged 64 years. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Orr & Hines Co., No. 647 South Broadway, today (Saturday) at 10 o'clock a.m.

CHAMBERS—In Los Angeles, June 2, 1904, Bruce Chambers, aged 19 years. Funeral at the residence of his mother, Mrs. T. S. Smith, No. 416 Fremont street, Saturday at 2 p.m. Interment Rosedale.

BLACK—At No. 686 Witmer street, June 3, Julia J. Black, beloved mother of Mrs. Mary Darling of San Pedro, Cal., a native of Ireland, aged 65 years. Funeral from the undertaking parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, Nos. 454 and 456 South Main street, Monday, June 6, at 9:45 a.m. Requiem mass at Cathedral of St. Vibiana at 9 a.m. (El Paso, Tex., papers please copy.) Interment New Calvary.

VERDUGO—At the Verdugo Rancho, June 2, 1904, Teodoro Verdugo, a native of California, aged 76 years. Funeral from the rancho Sunday, June 5, at 9 a.m., thence to the San Gabriel Mission where services will be held at 10 a.m. Interment San Gabriel Cemetery.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Nina A. Minney, beloved wife of Dr. E. W. Minney, was born in Brown county, Kan., December 6, 1875, and died in Los Angeles, Cal., June 1, 1904. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Garvin and spent her time at home with her parents until her marriage to Dr. Minney at Topeka, March 27, 1895. Their married life was one of unusual happiness. Some years ago her health began to fail and her devoted husband began that determined struggle to keep away the death angel which he kept up until the end. In 1901 they came to California, hoping that this balmy climate might prolong her days. A trip to Mexico was also made recently from which she seemed to receive some benefit. The end came sooner than was expected, but it found her ready. Uniting with the Presbyterian Church in 1896, she had ever been a true Christian, and the last words that fell from her lips were "God is love. He is my life." The funeral service was held at the home at No. 688 East Thirtieth street, Friday afternoon, and was attended by a wide circle of friends. Rev. George A. Mingo of Vincent Church was in charge. Mrs. Minney was beautiful of face and form, but even more beautiful in character. She lived a simple, quiet loving life and greatly endeared herself to all who knew her. Many friends will mingle their tears with those of her immediate family.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends most sincerely for their beautiful flowers and kind words of sympathy in our bereavement.
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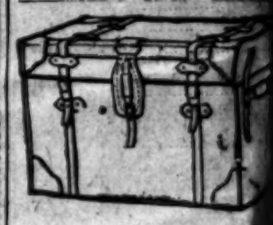

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LAST OF THE REGAL DONS.

Passing of Teodoro Verdugo Closes the Story.

Ranchero Swayed from Los Angeles to Sierras.

Romance of Life Not Spent Striving for Gold.

The sweet mission bells of San Gabriel will toll a requiem tomorrow morning for the funeral of the last of the haughty old Spanish rancheros—the last of the old dons who held regal sway in Southern California before the Gringo came.

It is fitting that the burial services for Teodoro Verdugo should be said tomorrow in that old mission of the Spanish padres, mellowed as it is by century-old memories of the Verdugos. It will probably be a typical old-fashioned Spanish funeral. There will be a service at the house at 8 a.m.

Only Photographs Ever Taken of the Last of the Kingly Rancheros, Teodoro Verdugo, the Hacienda and the Vine-covered Cottage.

The tourist standing in the whispering shadows of San Gabriel doubts that those time-seared walls were ever new; but the mission fathers had just placed the church there, raw in its newness, when Teodoro's father, Guillo Verdugo, first came there to solicit the blessing of the good padres for his new home back in the hills—Guillo, loyal soldier to the Spanish King, rewarded by a grant of eight leagues of land, stretching from Los Angeles to the foothills.

The old church walls have seen Teodoro Verdugo's generation—gorgeous, silver-spurred dons—crowded out by the gold-thirsty Gringos.

In the middle of the regal old Verdugo rancheo—gift of the Spanish King—is a picnic fest-garden for butchers' holidays and the grand solemnity of the burial services tomorrow will be harassed by the noisy clang of trolley cars.

ENDS THE OLD STORY.

The proud old story is ended with the death of Teodoro. There are other Verdugos, but they have gone to live in clapboard houses decorated with somebody's famous pink paint—"Watch it last."

Yesterday the proud old rancher lay in state in the great room of his hacienda in the Verdugo hills.

His family gathered from far and near to pay their respects to his remains. They came rolling in from the hateful little new railroad station in farm wagons pressed into service, the men in smartly-cut store clothes, and the women in swagger walking hats—these younger Verdugos. And in the shade of the vine-hung old verandas were the older ones in the soft rebozas. One who came was an aged Indian retainer bent with years and seamed with wrinkles, who had been on the rancho when old Don Teodoro was born, and as a little boy remembered the dashing soldier, Guillo.

In the great room of the hacienda lay the splendid old man—his face cut like a Pharoah's—candles in a priceless old candelabra, an heirloom brought from Spain, burned at his head as mute appeal for the repose of his soul.

Now that the head of the family is gone it is expected the hacienda and all it stands for will soon be gone also. It was because he would not yield to the ways of the Gringo that has kept this one rancho among the hills much as it was in the old days.

GORGEOUS DAYS.

Going over the hills in the farm wagons yesterday the younger Verdugos retold the stories of the old days at the rancho.

It seems that the Verdugos in those days were great swells. There were several sons and their doings must have caused the hearts of the lovely señoritas to palpitate with emotion. So gorgeous was their apparel that it is said one could almost hear their great silver spurs and bridle housings a-jingling before they could be seen.

When the old Don Teodoro was young he fell in love with a beautiful girl who is still living and who was carrying the littlest of a swarm of grandchildren hugged tight in her arms to stifle the ache in her heart yesterday.

She was Marie Antonia Carojal. Her father—or was it her grandfather—started one of the first vineyards near Los Angeles. It spread over the sheltered valley lands where the railroad yards of the Southern Pacific are now at River Station. They had a great wedding, which lasted for a week of feasting at the hacienda of the Verdugos.

They entered at once in the inner circles of Upper Tendom. They had grand society functions. Los Angeles was then but a miserable collection of little houses, and one end of the Verdugo rancho ran up to the town—where the canneries now stand by the river side.

They didn't have pink teas, to be sure. But they gathered first at one rancho and then another.

BEARS WERE DANGEROUS.

Some of the swellest parties took place at the Verdugos. Being in the hills as the rancho was, the ladies came and went to the parties in carretas drawn by oxen. The Verdugos always sent a heavily armed vaquero on ahead and often one followed behind, because of the bears that came out of the hills and made travel to what is now the Verdugo picnic park exciting and dangerous.

The guests did not come out at 8 and stay a bored hour and a half, gobble the ice cream and chicken salad, breaking for the door with a final "Such a lovely time," etc. They came for a week or longer.

There were fandangos, of course, and fine feasts, but the great event of the Verdugo parties was always the bear fight.

The dashing young caballeros rode into the hills and routed out a wild bear, vieing with one another as to who should lasso him first. One lasso would catch old Bruin around the neck, and as it tightened like as not he would give a terrible growl and a rush at the man who held the rope, while the scared bronco would tear out of that neighborhood like a blue streak. Then another rope would settle around the old Bruin intent on vengeance and he would be brought up with a jerk. And then another and another until he was completely entangled. At last with all the ropes drawn taut holding him in the center of a circle of horsemen the old bear would be dragged grunting and scolding and struggling, with the broncos plunging and trying to bolt, the spurs jangling and the great bits champing to a clear space near the house.

Here a wild bull was waiting—also lassoed. The ends of the two lassos would be quickly fastened together so the bull and bear could not part company. So they, the two angered, fear-crazed wild animals, would fight to the death, usually the bull falling victim to the superior scrappiness of the bear.

INDIFFERENT TO GOLD.

"Ah," said one of the women yesterday, "money was not everything in the world in those days."

They tell yet of stately Teodoro's regal indifference to gold. When his estate first got into the courts he scorned to bargain with the lawyers. He paid the fees in land and he didn't measure the land. He would stand on the rising knoll on which the hacienda was built and would say: "For this case I will give you the land over to that withered yucca," or "to that rock."

But alas! what with one suit and another, most of the land has gone. The Verdugos have been in the courts for years for a matter of disputed water rights.

Now, where the land stretches away from the proud old hacienda to the hills—in the very midst of this kingly landscape—is a Chinese garden, the rent for which goes to the family exchequer.

The accompanying photograph, taken in death of Teodoro Verdugo, was the first and last ever taken of him. All his life he refused to be photographed by the gringo camera machines.

UNIQUE ORDER.

Small Tract in San Bernardino Forest Reserve is Restored to Public Domain.

Officials of the local United States Land Office have received an order from the General Land Office in Washington which they say is unique in the history of forest reserves in these parts. The order is for the restoration to public domain of certain land in the San Bernardino forest reserve on the ground that it has been shown to be better adapted to agricultural purposes than to forest reserve purposes.

According to an act of Congress approved June 4, 1897, the Secretary of the Interior is empowered to restore to public domain, with the rights of settlement by homeseekers, lands within forest reserves which are proved to be agricultural in nature. But until now this law has been practically ignored by the land department, which has frowned on any action in accordance with its provisions, it is said, as a possible precedent for an attempt on the part of land seekers to dismember forest reserves.

Considerable curiosity was expressed in the local land office over the uncommon restoration order yesterday, and memories were ransacked in vain for a previous occurrence of exactly the same nature.

The land ordered opened to settlement August 30, is only a small parcel—160 acres located about twelve miles northwest of San Bernardino. It is occupied by an old man named John M. Doyle, who has lived on it for several years despite the fact that it was within the reserve, and who sought to have it declared agricultural. By virtue of his occupancy he will have a preference to the right to settle on it under the Homestead Law. The land is described as lots 3, 4, and 5 of section 4, and lot 5, and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 5, township 1 south, range 5 west, S.B.M.

CHILDREN THIRST.

Berendo-street School Without Water, and Inspector Orders Irrigating Stopped in West End.

The hill sections in the west end of the city that are served by the old West Side water system were still in a condition bordering on drought yesterday, pipes in many houses being entirely empty morning and evening. An inspector was sent into the region by Superintendent Mulholland during the day to order householders to desist from all lawn and garden irrigation until the water supply is increased—"for a day or two," he said. This poor man had a hard time of it, for many indignant residents, facing severe damage to their grounds, "took it out" on the inspector, and gave him the tongue lashings that belonged to the company that allowed the supply of the West Side system to become so overtaxed that its patrons were brought face to face with absolute drought. Reports show that the scarcity of water has been experienced in almost the same degree as far south as Thirty-ninth street, west of Hoover street, house hydrants standing dry.

At the Berendo-street school considerable suffering was experienced among the pupils and teachers through the entire lack of water, not even a mouthful being available from the school pipes. Nine hundred children confined on a hot day without a drink is sufficient cause for a row among the juveniles, and a householder next door who had an independent water supply came to their rescue with a hose, which was hung over the school fence and scrambled for by the thirtsy horde.

Work continues on the laying of the supply pipes that are to connect the city system with the stricken sections, and speedy relief is promised.

LIVELY ELECTION.

Cahuenga School District Passes Through Another Struggle Between East and West Siders.

The Cahuenga School District has just passed through another school election. To the initiated this simple announcement is of as much significance as the report of a movement on Port Arthur or the details of a scrimmage at Cheefoo.

During the past few months there have been divers and sundry school elections in the Cahuenga School District, but the one of yesterday was about the limit. If there was a voter in the district who didn't exercise the right of suffrage yesterday, it was because neither the East Siders nor the West Siders could get a hold on him. Out of about one hundred and sixty voters in the district there were 156 ballots cast.

The results showed up a victory for the East Siders, and in the contest for a trustee for the Hollywood Union High School E. M. Glass defeated George P. Swan by a vote of 82 to 74. Henry Siemer and C. W. Harrison won against E. M. Glass and C. A. Ensign as trustees for the Cahuenga School District. It is said to have been the liveliest fight ever held in the district.

About two months ago, after several previous elections had been held without practical results, the district voted $35,000 bonds for the erection of four school buildings, one to be located in each quarter of the district.

The sites were selected, but who ever heard of a school site that pleased everybody? After the excitement of yesterday the relocation fever has broken out again, and now an election has been called by the defeated side to take place at the Vermont-avenue school building next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock to determine whether the sites shall not be relocated. The prospects are that this will be as stormy a session as was the election of yesterday.

To show the extent to which the residents of the district have been stirred up, it is only necessary to compare the vote of 156 cast yesterday with that cast for the trustees at the last regular election, which was only six.

EXILES FIND REFUGE HERE.

Large Addition to Local Roumanian Colony.

"Ahavas Achim" to Relieve Destitute Arrivals.

Hebrews Would Establish a New Synagogue.

Among the passengers alighting from the Southern Pacific overland train yesterday was a company of more than ordinary interest to the casual observer. It comprised thirty men of strong physique, all bearing the Abrahamic cast of countenance. They were Roumanian Jews, seeking the hospitable harbor of Los Angeles as a place of safety against the outrages and indignities which have been heaped upon them in the land of their nativity.

This large addition to the local Roumanian Hebrew colony was unexpected, but the local brethren at once made provision for the newcomers and have been serving them meals at the home of one of the officers of the Roumanian Aid Society.

Tomorrow the "Ahavas Achim" will meet and endeavor to make provision for getting each of these men steady employment, and also make plans for others who will arrive very soon.

Some of the newcomers have families which they left in New York until they determine whether there is a place for them in this city, which has been held up to the Roumanians as almost the very gates of Paradise. Surely the warm reception tendered the newcomers by their brethren who have been here for some time would tend to confirm this impression among the exiles.

Every one is a skilled mechanic or craftsman. Some are carpenters, some cabinet-makers, tailors, hat-makers, etc., and officers of the "Ahavas Achim" feel that the city can readily absorb these men, who are anxious to make an honest living.

There are now in Los Angeles about four hundred Roumanian Jews, and fully ninety families. Most of these are located in the Eighth Ward. These people have undertaken to care for the newcomers of their race who arrive from their distressed Roumania, and they have been carrying on this work in a systematic manner through the agency of the Roumanian Hebrew Aid Society.

It is now planned to establish a separate Roumanian Hebrew congregation, and to maintain their own services in a hall or rented cottage to be fitted up for this purpose.

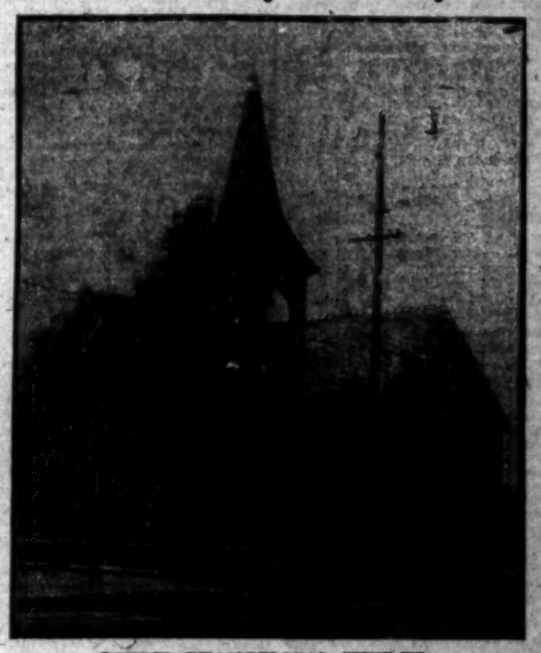
The association is gathering funds for the purchase of a "Sefter Thora," or scroll containing the law of Moses, and which is a necessary adjunct to the establishment of a synagogue. Among the members of the local colony there is a "shochat" and a man capable of officiating as cantor, so that they hope very soon to establish their separate congregation.

The "Ahavas Achim" is holding weekly meetings and it now has over 100 members paying weekly dues into its treasury, to be used in the help of the Roumanians who arrive in need of temporary help. It is said to the credit of these people that every member of the local colony is self-supporting, and all are cheerfully aiding in the care for their less fortunate brethren arriving from the Old World.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL COMING.

Adjt.-Gen. J. B. Lauck of the State militia will be in Los Angeles next week. He will arrive in the city Sunday noon and will be here until Friday.

Success Crowns City Missionary Effort



BETHEL EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Only English-speaking Church of This Denomination in California to be Dedicated Tomorrow.

Bethel, the only English-speaking church of the Evangelical Association in the California Conference, will be dedicated tomorrow morning at 10:30 by Bishop Thomas Bowman, D. D., of Chicago.

This pretty church is the outcome of a missionary effort by the Congregationalists several years ago in the extreme southeastern part of the city. A little chapel was built on a leased lot, on East Fifty-seventh street, and the services were in charge of the Vernon Congregational Church. Finally the Evangelical Association succeeded to the mission work, and moved the chapel to the present church location.

Rev. P. Conklin was sent out from the Ohio Conference and soon organized a church of twenty-five members; the chapel was sold and the church was begun.

The building is 36x46 feet, with two assembly rooms and a pastor's study. It is seated with circular pews and will accommodate 200 people. The church property is estimated worth $5000, and the society feels that in this rapidly growing part of the city it will find a field of great activity. The Sunday-school has over 100 members.

Bishop Bowman, who will preach tomorrow morning and again at the evening service, has been on the Pacific Coast six weeks, holding conferences. The California Conference has just closed its annual session at Santa Ana. Two new presiding elders were elected, the one for Los Angeles district being Rev. W. P. Gruen, who will be stationed at Santa Ana, and for the San Francisco district Rev. W. M. Althouse.

During Bishop Bowman's stay here he will also dedicate the handsome new German Evangelical Church about completed at Twelfth and Hope streets.

PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Citizens yesterday presented their grievances against the morgues before the Legislative Committee of the City Council.

Charles Elmer Pierce, convicted of murder in the first degree without any mitigation, has not yet been sentenced. Affidavits are filed showing that his family is strongly tainted with insanity.

Mrs. Terryberry was refused a divorce yesterday on the ground of insufficient corroborating testimony.

Socialist "Exhorter" Bonshee talked too much in Central Park, is landed in Police Court.

AT THE CITY HALL.

MORGUE BLIGHT KILLS VALUES.

PROPERTY OWNERS ARGUE FOR FIXING THE ZONE.

Figueroa Street Resident Protests Against Being Hung up—Women Enter Fight Against "Massage Parlors"—Echo of Crib Extermination—Plenty of Cash.

That troublesome morgue problem was the subject of a seance before the legislative committee of the City Council yesterday.

Citizens of the residence sections of the city were before the committee to testify to the depreciation of values in property where a morgue may have been unceremoniously set down at the side of a handsome residence.

Observers of property conditions have not been slow in noting and remarking upon this subject, and the contest which a couple of years ago led to the purchase of a lot by the Friday Morning Club to prevent the location of a morgue next door to the handsome Woman's Club House is recalled. That morgue was afterward established a block north of the clubhouse, on Figueroa street, next door to a handsome residence; the residence now stands empty with a rent sign in the window, and it is doubtful if a tenant could be found who would take it rent-free.

Another case presented for the consideration of the committee was on South Flower street, where a house that had rented for $100 a month prior to the location of a morgue next door, could not now find a tenant, though offered at $20 a month.

Another objectionable feature is the disposition of the morgue owners to decorate their establishments with the most obtrusive sort of signs to advertise the location.

The undertakers explain that their reason for invading the residence districts is to make their places less objectionable to the relatives of deceased persons, who hesitate to have the bodies taken to a place located in the business section of the city.

The protesting citizens ask that a zone be fixed outside of which it will be illegal to establish a morgue.

FILES HIS PROTEST.
MANSION IN THE SKIES.

C. J. Fox appeared before the Board of Public Works yesterday to enter protest against the proposal of certain property owners to grade Figueroa street between First and Temple.

That will leave me twenty-eight feet in the air," said Mr. Fox, "and somebody will have to pay for my property. I came here to give notice that I would at once bring suit for damages against the city."

Mr. Davenport seemed to have an over-supply of humor up his sleeve, and he blandly asked Fox if he would sign a waiver of all claim for damages should the city make the improvement.

"I'll sign a waiver to sue the city for damages; that's what I'll do," said Fox, who was a trifle warm under the collar.

The petition was referred to the City Engineer.

The contract for paving an alley which runs from Sixth to Seventh street, between Spring and Broadway, was awarded to the Fairchilds Company for $2296.13.

The grading and curbing of Lucile avenue, from Hoover to Belvidere streets was let to Frank Gillespie, on his bid of $15,854.

A petition was before the board from R. A. Guthrie, asking that the City Council advertise a franchise for sale, granting to the successful bidder the privilege of establishing in the city a police patrol and fire-alarm system. The matter was sent up to the City Attorney for the drafting of an ordinance to be laid before the Council.

FAKE MASSAGISTS.
WOMEN GET AFTER THEM.

There was filed with the City Clerk yesterday a lengthy petition, signed by a committee of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which sets forth that the city is now full of so-called "massage parlors" that are nothing more nor less than resorts of lewd women, much to the detriment of public morals and to the injury of respectable men and women who are in the legitimate massage business.

They also set forth that the proprietors of the questionable places where lewd women congregate, entice men and boys thereto by means of cards which are widely circulated, suggestive of the character of the place.

They ask that the signs be removed from the places referred to, "and the cards which read like the signs and are also used as advertisements for lewd women" be suppressed. They further request that the Council may not pass an ordinance fixing a license system which would enable the places to continue under legal guise.

The petition will go before the Council at its next meeting.

MONEY TO BURN.
TREASURERS' GOOD REPORT.

The City Treasurer filed his report for the month yesterday as follows: Balance month ended April 30, $2,641,-578.86; cash received during May, $262,-965.83; demands paid during May, $385,-688.86; balance, May 31, $2,518,655.32.

Crystal Waters of Lake Tahoe.

No one ever forgets the crystal clearness of waters of Lake Tahoe, nor the wonderful shades of color that are seen there. No other lake in the world perhaps is so beautiful and certainly none has such a variety of attractions for sightseer or camper. The mountains, forests, trout streams and smaller lakes around Tahoe really make it "the gem of the Sierras." Train leaves San Francisco daily at 9:00 p.m., connecting with 11:30 p.m. train from Los Angeles evening previous. Folder and details of any Southern Pacific agent.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HE SEIZED HER BY THE THROAT.

MRS. TERRYBERRY TELLS OF HER HUSBAND'S VAGARIES.

Got Under Spirit Control While She Slept and Then Tried to Choke Her—Limited Her Life to Minutes, and Cussed a Blue Streak Between Times.

A vision of dainty grace swept upon the witness stand in Judge Conrey's court yesterday afternoon, and told an extraordinary tale of marital infelicity. Holding a bit of lace in her white-gloved hand, Mrs. H. Terryberry told the peculiar brand of brute husband she had, and kept the lace accessory ready for emergencies.

But, Mrs. Terryberry did not develop any tears.

She and her husband had lived in Minnesota—he is living there yet. Under the gentle guidance of Attorney Byron O'iver the in'ured wife poured out the story of her trouble.

"I have been here a year and six months—but with the consent of my husband," and Mrs. Terryberry smilingly inclined her head, indicating that she had not done the runaway act. "But really," she continued, "because I was compelled to leave him. He was very cruel to me, and besides many naughty, cruel thinggs, he used shocking language."

In answer to the reminder to be specific Mrs. Terryberry repeated one string of naughty words used by her husband, and they certainly were of the stem-winder variety.

"Then, too, four of five years ago, he choked me." She smiled at the reminiscence. "I was obliged to leave him at that time."

"It was this way," and Mrs. Terryberry gracefully leaned forward while she alluded to her husband's peculiarities. "He was a spiritualist, and said he was controlled by the spirits, and was always trying to frighten me. One night after we had retired—I think I had been asleep—he arose in bed and said: 'Will you give up your mind and yield?'"

"I asked him what he meant, and he pretended that he was under control. He put his hand down and grasped me by the throat and tried to choke me. I pushed him away, and then he asked: 'Must we take your child?' and, as he asked the question, he got out of bed and slid along the floor toward the crib of my little girl."

Mrs. Terryberry was a first-rate raconteur, and the courtroom was filled with a spooky atmosphere that was delightfully shivery. In a moment or two she resumed:

"On another occasion he told me that my mother was dead. She wasn't, but his telling made me feel very ill." Mrs. Terryberry wiped her brow at the mere remembrance.

This abused wife went on to say that she became so overwrought, that she got so nervous, that at times she felt as if she would like to take his life. It was either him or her for it. The witness, while very refined-looking, dressed with the greatest of taste, and with womanly grace in every gesture, is endowed with a pair of eyes that indicate she is lacking neither in determination nor in temper. She said that her husband once told her that she had only seven minutes to live, but she passed the limit all right and felt no ill effects.

During the year and six months since Mrs. Terryberry left her home—with her husband's consent—because she had to leave him, she said he had contributed just $120 to the support of herself and nine-year-old child. Having said so much she swept back to her seat as prettily as when she began her recital of the spiritualistic seance.

Mr. Oliver said the only corroborative evidence he could produce was by the little daughter of the complainant. A tiny vision in pink and white mounted the witness stand. The child passed the test of admissibility of her testimony, for she knew the nature and responsibility of an oath.

Yes, she had heard her father use naughty cuss words to her mamma, all right, and when asked to repeat them, glibly rattled the same string off that Mrs. Terryberry had first repeated. They were hair curlers, but the child's face remained perfectly placid and unconcerned.

That was all. The court turned down the application cold. He said he couldn't grant an application of that kind.

"It appears to the court," said Judge Conrey, "that apart from the technicalities involved, it is the duty of the court to see that there is a substantial cause of action. There is a tendency, altogether too strong, to fill the courts with cases based on slight technicalities. Particularly is this true with cases originating in distant States. These ought to be settled in the States where they originate. There has been no cause shown why this case should not have been carried through in Minnesota, where the evidence would have been more abundant. These things referred to rather indicate insanity, but the corroborative evidence is lacking."

Mr. Oliver was granted leave to amend, and then Mrs. Terryberry will give a second recital of her curiously spooky experiences.

MOTHER WAS SLICK.
NOW DAUGHTERS COMPLAIN.

Mary B. Emmett has a grievance against her mother and she is ventilating it in the courts. She says that in August, 1898, she and her sister, Mrs. Jessie P. Boyle, purchased a lot on which Mary paid $1100 and sister Jessie $400. Then the girls said that they would take their mother in on the deal, Mary and her mother to own the lot, share and share alike.

Acting upon this agreement the title was placed in the name of the mother, Mrs. Annie Barchus Dewease, and now the girls are sorry they did it. The purchase price has been paid save $200, owing by Jessie, but the plaintiff avers her mother has just tied up the property so beautifully that she has been euchred out of it.

Mrs. Emmett avers that in April her mother determined to leave this country and then her daughter asked her to make conveyance to her of her half-share. The mother gave her conveyance, averring there were no encumbrances on it, save $200 owing by Jessie. As a matter of fact, Mrs. Emmett says her mother borrowed $2000 on the property and gave a mortgage for $2400. Then with the $2000 she purchased a piece of property in her own name, from which she is receiving a rental of $25 a month. Mary wants to know where she gets off.

WAS TOO KNOWING.
TWO YEARS FOR CLARK.

If he hadn't been quite so certain Charles Clark might not now be on his way to San Quentin. Clark was convicted of having "rolled a drunk" with the able assistance of a companion, and made away with $26. The man who was robbed, Ira B. Caler, raised such a roar that Clark and his associate were soon under arrest. Before passing sentence Judge Smith asked the defendant if he had anything to say, and the question had to be shouted into his ear, for the man is deaf. Bracing up he addressed the court.

"Your Honor, I've always worked to get an honest living," he said, "and I always expect to. This matter was just a little circumstance—of hard luck, as it were. This man lost his money at cards and then swore it onto me. If I could have only got hold of some of the men that were there I could show that."

"He does seem to have been a kind of industrious man," said the court, easing down at Clark. Deputy Sheriff Cochrane chipped in with the remark that he had known Clark as a good and honest worker at San Fernando. Emmett Wilson, who defended him, also stated that he was satisfied there was some truth in what Clark said, but said that it had been found impossible to discover the men in the saloon on the Saturday night when Caler met the defendant.

"But where did you get that $20 gold piece?" queried Judge Smith, for there was no getting away from the fact that Clark had the gold cartwheel.

"I told all about that on the witness stand," was the answer.

"And do you stand by that?"

"Well, it's the truth, and I can only stand by it."

"But it's so unreasonable," said Judge Smith, "there was not a juror, I'm sure, that took any stock in it."

"Well," quickly replied Clark, "couldn't I have made up a better story if I had wanted to lie about it?"

That answer was just a little bit too shrewdly put, for the court said that he didn't believe it and wasn't going to have the truth stultified in that way. Without any more talking he sentenced Clark to San Quentin for two years.

Clark's explanations as to the $20 gold piece was, perhaps, unreasonable, but by no means unbelievable. He said that Caler was playing cards in the saloon and he was sitting at the table holding the stakes. At the close-up of the game Caler, who was pretty well loaded with liquor, pushed across the table what he believed to be a dollar, and told him to have a drink on the game for his trouble. As a matter of fact, the dollar was a $20 gold piece.

SAME OLD STORY.
G. B. WARD ABUSED FORTUNE.

G. B. Ward was married to a really brilliant woman—an only daughter—and received into the home of his wife's parents, where every luxury was his; inducted into a business yielding from $10,000 to $15,000 a year; and with all the money that he could reasonably desire. But he gave it all the go-by because he liked to be "sporty"—one of the "boys." Now he is on his uppers.

The story was told by Mrs. C. A. Ward yesterday in her application for divorce in Judge Conrey's court. Mrs. Ward is young and a brunette of a decided type. She married in Illinois and she and her husband went to live with her parents. Her father was getting old and his business was handed over to Ward to carry on, but the customers knew he was a drinking man and didn't trust him. With the banks, too, he had no standing, and if ever he needed accommodation his wife had to go on the note. In short order the business was run into the ground. And Ward did love whiskey! Then, too, he liked to play the ponies and "throw the bones." His wife inherited $50,000 from her father and between his two favorite vices the husband got away with about $36,000 of it. When his wife tried to draw the rein on him he took some of her jewels and pawned them off just for the fun of the thing, for he never won anything back. The wife had inherited the home and Ward took umbrage at something and ordered his mother-in-law to leave instanter. But she didn't, so he consoled himself with more whisky and the companionship of pugilists.

Ward about reached the limit when he began to abuse his wife, but even then she forgave him and pleaded with him. Finally he consented and the family moved to Los Angeles so Ward might have a good chance to begin again. And he did—drinking whisky. He would remain away from his wife and then take home fairy stories which he asked her to believe. She had heard them before. By this time Ward had come to look more like a common laborer than a man of education and refinement. He begged his wife to give him money enough to go East and attend to certain business affairs, and then he promised to brace up and return a new man. Business in the East had to be attended to so the chance he asked was given. His wife has never seen him since.

The corroborating testimony was complete and the decree was granted.

INHERITED INSANITY.
C. E. PIERCE NOT SENTENCED.

Charles Elmer Pierce, convicted of murder at San Pedro, was to have been sentenced to the gallows yesterday, but he was not; indeed, it is likely that he may get a new trial.

The case of Pierce has been continued three weeks to permit the defense to obtain affidavits from the East supporting the new evidence that has been dug up tending to show that the defendant is tainted with insanity, and that when under the influence of liquor he is maniacal and absolutely unconscious of what he is doing.

A number of affidavits were presented and Attorney H. C. Dillon took up the greater part of the morning reading them to the court. Pierce's father is dead but his mother, uncle, sister, as well as other relatives, and a number of persons who have known the defendant and his people for the larger part of his life made affidavits showing that the Pierce family has insanity as part of its heritage.

Pierce's grandmother was insane for seven or eight years, and his father suffered from melancholia and while inoffensive ordinarily he was a morose and reserved man. At periodic intervals he would develop a nervousness and wildness of demeanor that impelled him to drink, and then he became maniacal. When possible his family would confine him to his room, but on several occasions he threatened the life of his wife with a gun. Once he threw an ax at the foreman of the shop where he was working, while under the malign influence. After the spell had been broken the defendant's father would be feeble and emaciated, and would take some time to recover. Another relative, named Dick Crow, has a mind now diseased, and his nephew committed suicide at Athens, Tenn., while suffering from mania.

"Charles Elmer Pierce is now about 24 years of age," says his mother in her affidavit, "and was always a tall, slender boy. He was fond of leaving his companions and going into the hills alone. Sitting in the woods with his head in his hands, or marking characters on the ground with a stick, he would notice no one, and if anyone was intrusive he would get up and walk away. He took after his grandmother's side, and when excited did things without reason. On one occasion he took a billet of stove wood and hit his brother John, and without any cause whatever. When remonstrated with he could give no reason for what he had done. He never entered into boyish sports, and at times had the same wild look that his father used to have. But ordinarily he was gentlemanly in deportment, and only when excited did he act irrationally. When he was seven years old he had a severe attack of typhoid fever, and often after that would have fits of despondency when he would say that he had not a friend on earth."

All the affidavits were of the same general tenor. After being read District Attorney Fredericks asked for time in which to file counter affidavits and the case again went over until June 11.

When the case was continued for purpose of obtaining these affidavits the District Attorney dispatched a detective to Tennessee to obtain independant testimony regarding the allegation that the defendant has an insane tendency. Testimony was obtained that will be filed within the next week.

SHE KEPT HER WORD.
MRS. REARDON HAS DIVORCE.

When G. J. Reardon, said to be a nephew of Garland, millionaire builder of railroads in Mexico, married, he and his wife settled in a cosy home on Santee street. But he believed that man is an "ornery animal" that needs to keep up a constant sowing of wild oats in order to develop whatever of good there may be in him. He told his wife so, and, of course, expected her to acquiesce.

Mrs. Reardon stated yesterday that things reached a climax when her husband started in making dates over the telephone from his own home. He had said it is the proper caper for a man to take a flyer with the boys and girls about town occasionally, and one night he called up "Louise"—by that name only did Mrs. Reardon identify this incognita—and after giddy talk over the wire made a date for the next Sunday night.

Then the wife asserted herself. She told him if he kept that appointment she would return to the home of her mother. He did keep it, and she kept her word. Sequel: decree granted.

ENGLISHMAN'S MONEY.
FISHER'S ESTATE SETTLED.

The estate of John Fisher was closed yesterday by Judge Wilbur, but before the order was made there was a little passage of arms between C. White Mortimer, British Vice-Consul, and the attorney for the public administrator.

Mr. Mortimer had objected to so much money being expended upon Fisher's funeral, as well as other of the charges, and when Public Administrator McGarvin went on the stand to testify to the accuracy of his report he was examined upon these points.

In reply to Mortimer's question regarding the sale of the restaurant on Downey avenue, where Fisher had contrived to accumulate $5000, McGarvin said he had written about seventy-five letters to persons interested in that kind of business, and who were likely to become purchasers themselves or serve the purpose aimed at by speaking about it to others. With regard to the funeral he had given the order and asked that it be kept under $175, including the grave. When the bill was presented he found it was in excess of that amount, but inasmuch as the funeral had been under the charge of the order to which the deceased belonged he did not see any reason for challenging the amount charged.

"Do you think $100 a reasonable sum for a coffin?" inquired Mortimer.

"Yes sir," answered McGarvin, shortly.

"For a man that couldn't read or write?"

"He had an estate valued at between $5000 and $6000," was the answer.

"And you sold the restaurant for $85?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you get a share of your attorney's fees," was the next question of Mortimer.

"No, sir."

"Neither directly or indirectly?"

"No, sir."

"Not a present?"

"No, sir."

The monotony of the answers was becoming tedious, but the next question raised a breeze.

"You don't find any money in your desk, do you?"

While McGarvin was in the act of answering with the usual negative, though his face was flushed somewhat with anger, his attorney interposed and coldly remarked:

"From communications we have received from the other side it would appear as if he was in the habit of doing these things himself."

Mortimer was on his feet in a moment. He asked the protection of the court.

"My duties as the British Vice-Consul make it incumbent upon me to observe the utmost courtesy."

The witness on the stand wore a dubious look, but before the judge could make any ruling the offending attorney said he would willingly apologise to the court—with the accent on "the court."

Then there was a lull in the proceedings while G. W. Bonner told how it came about that Fisher was allowed a $100 coffin, when a $5 deal box would have done just as well.

He said he is one of the officers of the Woodmen of the World, to which organization the deceased belonged. Just prior to Fisher's death a member named Grove had died, and his widow, who is a very poor woman, had a decent and creditable funeral without any undue display; he told the undertaker to duplicate that funeral and it would be all right, for he knew Mrs. Grove could not and had not wasted money at the funeral of her husband. Fisher's funeral, he said was under the auspices of the order, and the coffin was a good, felt-covered casket. The deceased was insured for $1000 with the Woodmen.

With regard to the restaurant, Bonner said he thought while the fittings were not of much value themselves, they were worth a good deal more in a going concern, and he thought the place ought to have brought from $150 to $200.

The court interrogated Mr. McGarvin regarding the matters touched upon from which it appeared that the total cost of the funeral was $223; including perpetual care of the grave, on which the Woodmen will place a headstone.

After the court had finished questioning the public administrator, the account of Fisher was ordered settled and distribution ordered, the administrator to pay the expenses of closing the estate.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CHILD'S ESTATE. Henrietta G. Thompson, O. D. Fitzgerald and W. Rose have petitioned to be appointed the guardians, under the will of the late H. M. Pomeroy, of Vivienne A. Pomeroy, 7 years of age, and who will come into an estate valued at $25,000. The child is living with her mother, Mrs. Alix Pomeroy.

LARGE DAMAGE CLAIM. Frank M. Bain is suing the Pacific Electric Co. for $50,000 as damages and $270 expenses incurred. He alleges that on March 12th while going on one of the companies cars to Ascot Park another car ran into it and he was thrown from his seat. He avers he suffered a fracture of the skull, his back was injured, he has facial paralysis, and was confined to his bed for five weeks.

CREWS'S TROUBLES. Mrs. Dora Crews had her husband, William T. Crews, before Judge Conrey yesterday in divorce proceeding pending. The wife averred he is receiving $5 to $7 a day as wages, and she wanted the court to order him to pay $25 a week to her until the suit shall be decided when she may ask for more. The husband said he earned from $5 to $6 as foreman bricklayer but is out of a job. His wife worried him to such an extent that he made a mistake in his work a week ago and was "fired." The husband's attorney put in a demurrer to the complaint, which was sustained, and now the wife will have to remain without that $25 a week until her attorney can fix the complaint so that it can stand fire two weeks hence.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

PARK SPOUTERS NOT TOLERATED.

EXHORTER BONSHEE MEETS GRIEF IN COURT.

Socialist Wind-Jammer Resented Being Seized by Patrolman, but an Army of Witnesses Couldn't Save Him—Gorman "Cussed" Too Much. Police Court News.

C. A. Bonshee, Central Park "exhorter," self-constituted uplifter of the human race, Socialistic spouter and member of the board of strategy, conducting the war between Russia and Japan, felt aggrieved when a rude policeman grabbed him by the nape of the neck and the seat of his trousers last Tuesday and bore him to the City Jail.

To prove that his dignity had been offended and that the policeman had been "real rough," Bonshee introduced an army of witnesses in police court yesterday when he was placed on trial for disturbing the peace.

"The crowd in Central Park flocked around this man like bees around sugar," said Patrolman Shibley, when called upon to tell the circumstances of the arrest.

"He was talking loud and telling how the government was going to the dogs, and that the only salvation of the country was in Socialism. The women folks in the park said it was a burning shame that the crowd was allowed to congregate, and I arrested Bonshee."

The officer stated further that he had warned Bonshee not to talk so loud in the park as the place was not kept for the benfit of promulgating Socialistic doctrines.

Bonshee elected to be his own lawyer and had a motley array of witnesses to prove that he had only been discussing Socialism and religion with "another man." Nearly every member of the "strategy board," which meets in the park twice a day and directs affairs in the Far East, was present, as were a number of venerable wind-jamming theologians, and others who are wont to deliever diatribes upon the evils of the present system of government, and incidentlly, eulogize the Socialist party.

Politics, war and religion are the three topics most generally discussed in Central Park, and Bonshee's trouble was caused by dabbling in two of them.

When called to the stand the witnesses invariably showed a lamentable ignorance of the word "work." They had various "professions," but only dropped into the park to hear discussions. Oh, no—they never indulged in discussions themselves but they frequently heard half a dozen going on at one time. Bonshee, Hathaway and other old-timers, were usually the ringleaders in the discussions.

After hearing from a dozen or more witnesses for the defendant, Justice Chambers asked Bonshee if he had any others to produce. The distinguished "orator" said he wanted the man to whom he was talking when arrested, but he couldn't find this man. He wanted to prove that his talk was simply a friendly one in which both agreed, but the pleasant stranger could not be found.

"Adjudged guilty," said the court upon the conclusion of the evidence.

"How is that, Your Honor?" asked Bonshee, bewildered by the sudden termination of the case.

"I said guilty," remarked the court, "and I will remand you for sentence tomorrow morning."

Orator Bonshee was crushed completely.

Dismissed on Technicality.

Justice Austin dismissed the charges pending in Police Court against Maj. H. M. Russell and James T. Jordan of the Union Consolidated Oil Refining Company yesterday on account of a defect in the complaint. The defect was trivial, but in the opinion of the court sufficient to be a defect. The defendants were tried Thursday and the jury failed to agree. The specific charge was maintaining a nuisance in the shape of a refinery in East Los Angeles. It is said other charges will be filed.

Too Many Swear Words.

According to his neighbors, Charles Milsom "cussed awful bad" when children ran a toy wagon over a hose which he was using to sprinkle a lawn. Milsom lives at No. 2133 West Thirtieth street, and John Heyman, a neighbor didn't like the language Milsom used when the children ran over the hose. Milsom's language was couched in strong Teutonic terms, and the entire German neighborhood objected strenuously. When some of the language was repeated in court nobody seemed to know just what it meant, but Justice Chambers concluded that it was unseemly and Milsom was fined $10.

Police Court Jottings.

W. Forsythe, formerly a janitor employed in the Glen Ellen House on North Main street, was convicted of petty larceny yesterday in Police Court. W. Sweeney, an occupant of room No. 35 in the building, reported to the detectives a few days ago that his room had been entered by a thief and $5.40 stolen. Forsythe was arrested by Detective Cowen, and a portion of the missing money was found on his person. He will be sentenced today.

Charles Rodriques Calderon, charged with embezzlement, is held to answer to the Superior Court in default of $1000 bail. Calderon is alleged to have imposed upon his ignorant Mexican brothers by taking money from them under the false pretense that he was sending it to their families in Mexico.

NEWELL'S CLASSES.

Rev. William R. Newell of Chicago gave his second lecture at the First Baptist Church last night, to a large and deeply interested audience. At the close he told the story of his Bible class in the East, and by unanimous request consented to give a series of talks on Monday and Friday evenings. These free courses of Bible instruction are under the auspices of the First Baptist Church, the Central Presbyterian Church and the English Lutheran Church. Rev. Newell will preach at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, and at the Central Presbyterian Church Sunday evening.

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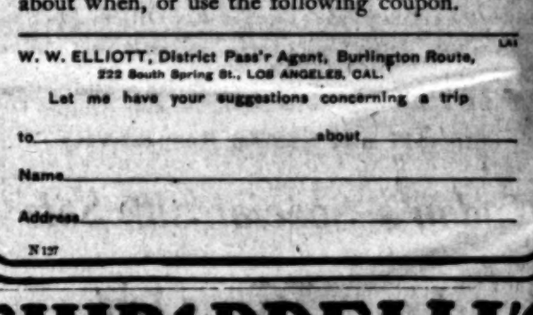

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SPORTING PAGE.

CHAMPION OF THE GOLFERS.

Walter J. Travis of America Beats the Scotchman.

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Twenty-one Horses in Harlem Handicap.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Walter J. Travis and E. D. Blackwell started to play the final tie of thirty-six holes for the amateur golf championship at Sandwich today in a high wind, which greatly affected the driving. Travis won the first in 5 to 4, and running down one of his long putts on the second green became 2 up. Blackwell missed a hard putt for the third, which was halved, and he lost the fourth, where Travis holed out a long putt. The American also won the fifth by getting down a 15-yard putt and then missed a short putt for the sixth where he sustained his first loss. The seventh was halved, and Travis won the eighth, where Blackwell missed a 5-foot putt. The Scotchman took the ninth hole, where Travis drove into a bunker. The American was 3 up at the turn, his outward score approximately being 35 strokes.

The American found the wind very difficult, and lost the tenth. The next two were halved, and Blackwell ought to have reduced his deficit to one at the thirteenth. His putting, however, was bad, and he lost the hole. Thereafter he never looked like drawing level, and Travis finished the first round with 4 up. His score by strokes was 80, Blackwell taking 83.

Travis throughout gave the same remarkable display of putting which has gained him here the reputation of being the finest exponent in the world of the short game. He was never in the slightest danger throughout the tournament. The gallery numbered about five hundred. Although their sympathies were almost unanimously with Blackwell, they could not refrain from applause at Travis's brilliant game, and the American's superiority over the Scotchman was admitted, coupled with expressions of regret that an older and more representative golfer was not pitted against the American in the final.

About a score of Americans followed the game, including the competitors in the earlier stages of the championship. The Britons extracted some comfort from the fact that Travis was born in Australia. The best feeling was manifested on both sides, and the winner was heartily cheered. The only breach occurred during the afternoon, when a few spectators applauded Travis's failure in putting at the third hole. This offense was instantly hissed by the majority of those present. As a general thing, the American's brilliant game elicited bursts of applause at almost every hole. The large Scotch contingent was the most ready to concede Travis's superiority, even before the afternoon round was started.

Blackwell, after the match, said to a representative of the Associated Press: "Travis is a great golfer. He deserved to win. I was a trifle off my game during the morning, and lost several holes I ought to have won. The strain told on me."

Travis must defend the championship on this side next year. The Prestwick, Ayrshire, course has been selected for the contest.

EFFECT ON THE GAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 4.—No international sporting event for a long time has created the interest that has been shown by Travis's victory. Admitting that his style of play is more scientific than British players are accustomed to use, his personality, his clubs and his method are all carefully analyzed, with a view to finding if any lesson can be learned. The wish is generally expressed to see him pitted against the best professionals.

The Morning Post editorially asks what Scotchmen, like Andrew Lang, who formerly protested against Englishmen invading the ancient game of the Scots, will say to American domination.

"If we are not mistaken," says the Post, "the United States will claim ere long to have something to say as to the rules of the game. There is talk already of the innovation in stymie playing, and Travis's well-earned success shows that a younger generation is knocking at the door."

HARLEM NATIONAL HANDICAP.

TWENTY-ONE ENTRIES LISTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, June 3.—Twenty-one horses are listed to start in the Harlem National Handicap, which will be run at Harlem tomorrow. Among those scheduled to start for the $15,000 prize are some of the best horses racing in the West. Wilful will carry top weight, 111 pounds. Next comes Injunction, 109. Judge Himes and Flying Ship are given 107 each, while the remainder of the field range from 105 to 90 pounds. Felipe Lugo, Baldwin's candidate for the American Derby, gets in with the lightest weight, and, it is believed by many horsemen, may carry off the prize. Colonial Girl and McGee have been installed equal favorites, both quoted in the betting at 4 to 5. Gregor K. is next favorite. Wilful, Flobob, Injunction and Flying Ship are believed by many to have an excellent chance, and have been backed accordingly.

The race will be run over a fairly fast track, according to indications tonight. The entries are: National Harlem Handicap, $15,000, one and three-sixteenth miles: Bragg, 102; Bondage, 94; Felipe Lugo, 90; McGee, 105; Colonial Girl, 103; Flying Ship, 107; Elliott, 97; Monsieur Beaucaire, 100; Glassful, 100; Judge Himes, 107; Gregor K., 101; Wilful, 111; Potheen, 99; Flying Torpedo, 103; Horatius, 97; Lord Badge, 96; Injunction, 109; Deutschland, 95; Flobob, 98; Dr. Stephens, 99; Fonsaluca, 100.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

NEW YORKERS ARE LOSERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—Cincinnati defeated New York in the second game of the series today. The visitors bunched hits in the eighth, and, aided by Brown and a wild throw, scored the winning run. The attendance was 12,000. Score:

New York, 2; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Cincinnati, 3; hits, 7; errors, 0.
Batteries—Taylor and Bowerman; Hahn and Peitz.
Umpires—Zimmer and Moran.

BROOKLYN-PITTSBURGH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BROOKLYN, June 3.—In a twelve-inning game today, Brooklyn defeated Pittsburgh 5 to 4. The attendance was 2200. Score:

Brooklyn, 5; hits, 10; errors, 6.
Pittsburgh, 4; hits, 10; errors, 0.
Batteries—Poole and Ritter; Miller, Camnitz and Phelps.
Umpire—Johnstone.

BOSTON-ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, June 3.—A wild throw by Shay of St. Louis with two out in the thirteenth inning enabled Tenny of Boston to score the winning run of an exciting game today. Both Pittinger and Taylor were highly effective. The attendance was 2400. Score:

Boston, 1; hits, 9; errors, 3.
St. Louis, 0; hits, 7; errors, 1.
Batteries—Pittinger and Needham; Taylor and Grady.
Umpire—Emslie.

CHICAGO-PHILADELPHIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—The locals had several chances to win today's game, but the necessary run was lacking. Chicago's batsmen on the other hand were effective when hits counted. The attendance was 1500. Score:

Philadelphia, 3; hits, 11; errors, 3.
Chicago, 4; hits, 9; errors, 2.
Batteries—Fraser and Dooin; Briggs and O'Neill.
Umpire—O'Day.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

DETROIT WINS LONG ONE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DETROIT, June 3.—Detroit won a long-drawn-out ten-inning game. The attendance was 2500. Score:

Detroit, 5; hits, 7; errors, 2.
New York, 4; hits, 12; errors, 2.
Batteries—Mullin and Buelow; Powell, Hughes and McGuire.

CLEVELAND-BOSTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND (O.) June 3.—Donahue shut Boston out with one hit up to the ninth inning, when three hits were bunched, giving Boston one run. The attendance was 5700. Score.

Cleveland, 2; hits, 9; errors, 0.
Boston, 1; hits, 4; errors, 0.
Batteries—Donahue and Bemis; Gibson and Criger.

CHICAGO-WASHINGTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, June 3.—Perfect fielding and timely hitting gave the locals an easy victory today. Davis was the fielding star, with several sensational stops and throws, closely followed by Coughlan and Moran, who did very brilliant work. The attendance was 2100. Score:

Chicago, 5; hits, 9; errors, 0.
Washington, 1; hits, 6; errors, 2.
Batteries—Smith and Sullivan; Patten and Kittredge.

POSTPONED GAMES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Philadelphia-St. Louis American games postponed; rain.

LEAGUE CLUBS' STANDING.

PERCENTAGES TO DATE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, June 3. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] Percentages of league clubs to date:

American League—		National League—	
Boston	.684	Chicago	.636
Cleveland	.600	New York	.583
New York	.579	Cincinnati	.575
Chicago	.561	St. Louis	.484
Philadelphia	.556	Pittsburgh	.444
St. Louis	.471	Brooklyn	.410
Detroit	.361	Boston	.405
Washington	.147	Philadelphia	.176

HARD BATTING BEATS JONES.

LOOLOOS SWAT HIM ALL OVER THE BALL PARK.

Dolly Gray There Every Minute and Keeps Visitors Safely When Hits Mean Runs—Pretty Work by Reitz, Flood and Smith—Ross Out of Game.

Pacific Coast League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Oakland	65	38	27	.585
Tacoma	65	37	28	.569
Seattle	63	34	29	.540
Los Angeles	67	36	31	.537
San Francisco	65	30	35	.461
Portland	63	14	49	.250

Los Angeles, 7; San Francisco, 1.

The old childhood fable of what happened to Jones could have been answered by a big bunch of us yesterday, for what didn't transpire doesn't amount to much. It is so small that you could forget it and still have enough left to write a book, for he was walloped to a finish, and beaten with such ease that the performance was over before it commenced.

It was a good exhibition all the way through, for although only two errors were made, the Looloos were sto strong and so persistent with the club that there never was any doubt about how the business would turn out. It was slap the ball from start to finish for us, and that was about all there was to it. The visitors ran their legs off chasing hits, and when the thing was over they were a pretty tired bunch of people.

They made their only run on Reitz's single, Massey's pass, Gorton's hit and a fielder's choice.

The only inning the locals had that was worth mentioning was the first, and in this, they made enough of everything for two games. Toman led off with a pass and Flood bunted toward first. Massey ran out to get it and tossed the ball in such a way to Reitz, who covered the bag, that it bounded past him and rolled to the bleachers. Toman scoring on this and Flood getting to third base, and scoring after the catch of Smith's fly to right field. Bernard followed with a hit to right and came in on Wheeler's triple to the Chutes gate. Busher George Bowman, who played in place of Ross, then bounced one at Hildebrand, and Wheeler was thrown out at the plate. Busher ran to third on Chase's double to right, and both scored on Spies' single to the infield. The final two came on Spies' single, a passed ball and doubles by Flood and Smith.

The distinguishing features consisted of fine playing by Reitz, Flood, Chase, Smith and Spies.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Toman, ss	4	1	0	0	2	1	0	
Flood, 2b	4	2	2	0	5	4	0	
Smith, lb	3	0	1	0	4	7	0	
Bernard, cf	3	1	2	1	2	0	0	
Wheeler, rf	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	
G. Bowman, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	
Chase, 3b	4	1	2	0	1	0	0	
Spies, c	3	1	2	1	6	1	0	
Gray, p	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Totals	34	7	13	1	27	15	1	

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hildebrand, 2b	3	0	1	0	4	1	0	
Waldron, cf	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	
Meany, rf	4	0	1	0	2	1	0	
Leahy, c	4	0	1	0	6	2	0	
Anderson, ss	4	0	0	0	1	3	0	
Reitz, 2b	4	1	2	0	4	4	0	
Massey, 1b	3	0	1	0	8	0	1	
Gorton, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Jones, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	29	1	7	0	27	11	1	

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	x	—7
Base hits	3	0	1	0	8	4	2	1	x	—19
San Francisco	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	6	1	—7

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Wheeler.
Two-base hits—Chase, Flood, Smith, Gray, Reitz.
First base on errors—San Francisco, 1.
Left on bases—Los Angeles, 4; San Francisco, 8.
First base on called balls—Off Gray, 2; off Jones, 4.
Struck out—By Gray, 5; by Jones, 3.
Double plays — Smith to Flood to Chase, Meany to Reitz.
Passed balls—Leahy.
Hit by pitched ball—Flood, Hildebrand.
Time of game—1h. 55m.
Umpire—McDonald.

GAME TODAY.

Hall will probably do the pitching for Los Angeles today, and possibly the Whale for San Francisco. Game will be called at 3 o'clock.

OAKLAND'S BUNCH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—In the eighth inning today, the Oakland team bunched four hits against Pitcher Thielman and scored three runs, which gave them the game. Score:

OAKLAND.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Kruger, cf	4	1	1	0	2	1	0	
Mcalkman, lf	4	0	1	0	2	1	0	
Schafly, 2b	4	1	1	0	3	2	1	
J. Streib, 1b	4	1	1	0	13	0	0	
Devereaux, 3b	4	1	2	2	0	1	0	
Byrne, c	4	0	1	0	7	0	0	
T. Streib, ss	3	0	1	0	0	3	1	
Cooper, p	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	
Francks, ss	3	0	1	0	3	5	1	
Totals	33	3	12	3	27	17	3	

PORTLAND.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Drennan, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
McCredie, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Nadeau, lf	3	0	1	0	3	0	0	
Beck, 2b	4	0	1	0	2	3	0	
Francis, ss	4	0	0	0	2	2	0	
Murray, 1b	4	0	0	0	6	1	0	
Schmeer, as	4	0	1	0	1	1	0	
Shea, c	4	1	1	0	7	1	0	
Thielman, p	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Totals	33	1	3	0	24	11	0	

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portland	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	—6
Oakland	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	x	—3
Base hits	1	0	1	2	1	2	0	4	x	—12

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Kruger, Schafly, Devereaux, Schmeer, Shea, Thielman (2.)
Sacrifice hits—McCredie, Ganley.
First base on errors—Portland, 1.
Base on balls—Off Thielman, 1.
Left on bases—Oakland, 7; Portland, 7.
Struck out—By Cooper, 1; by Thielman, 7.
Hit by pitcher—Nadeau.
Double play—Devereaux to Schafly to Francks.
Wild pitch—Thielman.
Time of game—1h. 50m.
Umpire—Huston.

TACOMA'S THIRD STRAIGHT.

OUTPLAYED SEATTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TACOMA, June 3.—Tacoma took the third straight game from Seattle today, outplaying the visitors at every stage. Thomas made his first appearance after being ill. H. Hughes was wild, and was batted at opportune times. In three innings Seattle bunched hits, but they counted for little. Score:

Tacoma, 11; hits, 12; errors, 1.
Seattle, 3; hits, 9; errors, 3.
Batteries—Thomas and Graham; Hughes and Blankenship.

AFRICANDER GAINING FORM.

SUBURBAN WILL TEST HIM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The great California colt Africander, if he shows the good performance at the Suburban Handicap and comes out of the race without injury, may be sent to St. Louis for the World's Fair Handicap. Charlie Dwyer came to this decision after the Star Ruby colt's good race Thursday, when, making the concession of six pounds, he defeated Hurstpark in a handicap at one mile and a sixteenth. The race was proof conclusive that Africander is gradually coming back to topnotch form.

"We were very well pleased with Africander's race Thursday," said Dwyer, "and think he soon will be himself again. At his best, he surely has a chance to win that $50,000 prize offered at St. Louis. We already are pledged for forfeits amounting to $400 for this race, and we might as well have a run for it.

"No definite decision will be made, however, until after the running of the Suburban. If the horse is all right then, and looks to be in his best form, he will be sent to St. Louis without delay. He will, however, be back for the brighton."

Hawthorne Meet Closes.

CHICAGO, June 3.—The spring meeting at Hawthorne ended today, and the Harlem track will open tomorrow. Summary:

Four and a half furlongs: Garvine won, Palm Tree second, Tennyburn third; time 0:56 2-5.

Six furlongs: Alma Dufour won, The Mighty second, Silent Water third; time 1:14 4-5.

Steeplechase, short course: Dr. Nowlin won, Failela second, Snowdrift third; time 2:49 3-5.

Mile: Bad News won, Miss Crawford second, Foresight third; time 1:41.

Mile and an eighth: Harrison won, Louisville second, John McGurk third; time 1:55 2-5.

Five Furlongs: Peggy O'Neil won, Bradway Girl second, Miss Jordan third; time 1:01 3-5.

Delmar Summary.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—Delmar summary: Six furlongs, selling: Nandora won, Feronia second, Edith Boss third; time 1:25.

Four and a half furlongs, selling: Willowdene won, Passive second, Little Florence third; time 1:03.

Six furlongs: Faquita won, Maura Wallace second, Ethel Davis third; time 1:25¼.

Mile and twenty yards, selling: Potente won, Behoove second, Exapo third; time 1:57.

Six furlongs, selling: Onanetta won, Satchel second, Nearest third; time 1:25.

Mile and twenty yards, selling: Jerry Hunt won, Illuminate second, Algonquin third; time 1:56.

Gravesend Results.

NEW YORK, June 3.—About six furlongs, handicap: Shotgun won, Jack Rattlin second, King Pepper third; time 1:11 3-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Ike S. won, Gold Fleur second, Nora Light third; time 1:04 1-5.

One mile and a quarter, handicap. Brigand won, Illyria second, Andy Williams third; time 2:11 4-5.

May stakes, about six furlongs: John F. won, Seymour second, Dick Bernard third; time 1:12.

Five furlongs: Blandy won, Austin Allen second, Amber Jack third; time 1:03 3-5.

Mile and a sixteenth: The Cricket won, Brooklynite second, St. Gallen third; time 1:54 3-5.

Latonia Summary.

CINCINNATI, June 3.—Six furlongs: Miss Doyle won, Owasca second, Henry Lyons third; time 1:15¼.

Mile: Glenwood won, Frank Mc second, Tom Hall third; time 1:43.

Five furlongs: Odd Elletta won, Dixelle second, Monico Maid third; time 1:02.

A. A. U. Contests Postponed.

ST. LOUIS (World's Fair Grounds) June 3.—A.A.U. handicap contests to have been held today have been postponed until 9 o'clock Saturday morning, on account of rain.

ON THE ALLEYS.

LOS ANGELES WINS.

The local bowlers easily took the measure of five San Francisco experts last night, the two teams playing on their home alleys and the results being telegraphed back and forth after each game. The scores for the five games were: Los Angeles, 4875, and San Francisco, 4677. The local representatives were a Monarch alley team, which bowled there, and the California team, which bowled on the California alleys in San Francisco.

The conditions of the match were that the losing team should pay for the use of both alleys and the telegraph tolls. Alf Mackenzie of the Monarch alleys managed the team at this end of the line and McGrath, who formerly bowled in this city, but is now in San Francisco, captained the California team. As will be seen by the scores, the work was away above the average, and is about as good as any tournament bowling ever done in the State. The scores were as follows:

California—	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	Av.	
Tuttle	211	167	204	163	194	188	4-5
Smith	161	231	180	189	184	189	
Hegen	200	188	181	167	202	187	1-5
Carroll	163	188					
Martin			192	188	136	168	4-5
La Garde	184	171	229	206	254	209	2-5
Totals	919	911	986	912	940		
Total pins—4677.							
Monarch—	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	Av.	
Bowron	182	225	178	215	204	200	4-5
Pearse	214	170	194	197	204	194	4-5
Mackenzie	206	161	171	180	183	170	1-5
Benfer	211	224	203	160	221	204	2-5
Lustig	183	204	170	202	219	195	3-5
Totals	996	1004	920	953	1031		
Total pins—4875.							

Haggin's Del Paso Yearlings.

NEW YORK, June 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Yearlings from James B. Haggin's Rancho Del Paso stud, which will be sold at auction the week after next, are safely housed in the sales paddock at Sheepshead. They arrived late Thursday night. The entire lot stood the long trip from the Coast splendidly, and there were no casualties while en route, as is frequently the case. The veteran John Mackay, with his daughter, came with the shipment, having a private car attached to the special train which brought the horses across the continent.

Go East to Shooting Festival.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Six of the best marksmen of the California Schuetzen Club have gone East to participate in the fourth national shooting festival, which opens in New York June 12. They are Aloph Streiker, F. Kuhule, M. Reubold, F. A. Kuhls, William Ehrenpfort and L. C. Babin. All hold championship medals, and several years ago Streiker was crowned shooting king of America at Baltimore.

Gans Gets the Decision.

BALTIMORE, June 3.—Joe Gans, lightweight champion pugilist, was given the decision tonight over Harry Cohen, ("Kid Griffo") of Brooklyn, in the seventh round of a 15-round bout, before the Eureka Athletic Club. Gans was the stronger, and floored Cohen nine times during the seventh round. The battle throughout was clean, and the colored man clearly demonstrated that he was the cleverer boxer.

Buddy Ryan Badly Beaten.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Buddy Ryan, a Chicago lightweight, was beaten so badly in a fight with Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., that the referee stopped the fight in the sixth round to save Ryan from futher punishment. It was Gardner's fight all the way through.

Pretty Polly Captures Oaks.

LONDON, June 3.—Pretty Polly won the Oaks stakes of 5000 sovereigns at the Epsom summer meeting today. Bitters was second and Finance came in third. Four horses ran.

IRATE PAPA AFTER GROOM.

ESCONDIDO SWAIN GETS GIRL WHO WAS TO GRADUATE.

Maid and Mother Come to Town to Purchase Part of Commencement Outfit and Fair Student Steals Away With Lover—Father-in-Law Accuses Swain of Perjury.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

ESCONDIDO, June 3.—Edna A. Donley, who was to have been one of the sweet girl graduates at the High School commencement tonight, eloped this morning with John Alunbaugh of Oceanside, for whom the officers are now looking with a warrant.

The girl, who is one of the beauties of the countryside, met her lover by guile, she and her mother having come to town from their ranch to purchase some trifle for her graduating gown. Her mother missed her and the next that was heard of her was a message that she and Alunbaugh had been married.

It is supposed that the young gallant was waiting for her in a side street when she and her mother came to do their shopping.

It is a more serious marriage, however, than a mere runaway wedding. In procuring the license, Alunbaugh had to swear that the girl is 18 years old, when, as a matter of fact she is less than that. Donley, senior, who is a real estate agent in town, swore out a complaint against his new son-in-law, charging him with perjury.

Arrested in Oceanside.

SAN DIEGO, June 3.—Jolan F. Alumbaugh and his bride of a few hours were arrested at Oceanside this afternoon. He is charged with abduction. She and Alumbaugh, who lives Oceanside and is 27 years old, were married without the knowledge of her parents, and at once started for Oceanside in a buggy. The marriage license gives Miss Dennelly's age as 18 years. Her mother says the girl is only 17.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

ROBERTS MURDER TRIAL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, June 3.—The trial of George Roberts, accused of the murder of Night Watchman Henry Lewellyn of Arroyo Grande in March, is now on in the Superior Court. The empaneling of a jury was completed today. The defendant relies upon the grounds of self-defense to escape a conviction.

In a lively election here today Henry Loobliner was reelected for the fourth ter was a member of the Board of School Trustees.

The old stage on the line from this city to San Simeon has been replaced by an automobile.

Duke Wilkins, the manager of the Unique Theater, has suddenly departed, leaving a long list of creditors.

Mrs. Laura R. H. Mitchell, a well-known woman of this city, suddenly died today while sitting in a chair. Heart disease was the cause.

James A. Lewis and wife of Los Angeles are the guests of M. L. Curtis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Beckett and daughters, Misses Nellie and Bertha, leave June 15 for the St. Louis Exposition.

SAN DIEGO.

MARINE RESEARCH.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, June 3.—A party of professors and students from the University of California is hard at work prosecuting marine research in the Pacific, off the Coronado shore. The enterprise is in charge of Prof. C. A. Cofoid, who represents Prof. Ritter of the university faculty, and who is also scientific director of the Marine Biological Association of San Diego. Other members of the party are: H. B. Torrey, C. O. Esterley, L. H. Miller, R. D. Williams, and the Misses Margaret Henderson, E. R. Rigden, and M. E. Edwards. The work is being prosecuted along three lines, diaton, copepod and protazoa. Headquarters are at the old boat-house on Glorietta Bay.

TURNERS SINGING FEST.

It has been decided to hold the Turners' singing fest in this city next week, rather than at Lakeside. Changes are being made in the programme accordingly. The turning fest contests will also be held here. The gymnastic entertainment will be held in Turner Hall Saturday evening, and will be under the direction of the Los Angeles Turners. Eighteen members of the Germania Turnverein of Los Angeles are on the programme for club swinging and wand drills.

AUTO CLUB FORMING.

At a meeting just held here it was decided to organize an automobile club having for its principal objects the furtherance of the good roads movement and the interesting of the people of the State in the El Camino Real proposition. Temporary organization was effected and a committee appointed to draft by-laws and report at the next meeting a week from tomorrow.

DEATH OF DR. RUST.

Dr. E. R. Rust of Denver died at Coronado yesterday after several weeks' illness. He was a wealthy retired dentist and was the owner of a fine stable of blooded horses.

HOLLYWOOD.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES CHOSEN.

Mr. E. C. Hampton, Charles J. George and R. M. Pogson, were unanimously reelected today as trustees of the Hollywood city school district.

There was no contest and a light vote was cast.

The Pass School District Board will be reorganized with Willoughby Cole, W. N. Price and N. A. Watson as trustees.

The Hollywood Union High School Board will be composed of the following trustees, who were elected today: Hollywood city district, A. N. Denman; Los Feliz, J. B. Murphy; Cahuenga, E. D. Glass; Laurel, A. F. Gilmore; Coldwater, A. E. De Camp; Lankershim, A. M. Cormic; The Pass, F. M. Chaffee.

A PAINFUL INJURY.

Ed. Raelsback of the firm of Newberry & Edwards, met with a painful accident this morning, caused by his horse becoming frightened while he was getting into his buggy. The wheel struck him in the back and threw him violently to the ground. He was taken home and Dr. Palmer summoned. There were no bones broken but it is feared there may be some internal injury.

AVENUE WIDENED.

Cahuenga avenue between Prospect and Sunset Boulevards has been widened fifteen feet in order to make it a business street. It is lined with two rows of beautiful pepper trees, which are to be removed. It is hoped some arrangement may be made to save the large trees on the west side of the avenue at least. Hollywood is proud of its shade trees and her citizens regret to see one destroyed.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, May 31.—A comparison between the number of graduates in the class of 1904 and those of previous graduating classes shows this year's class to have been the largest that has ever been graduated from the colleges at Berkeley. Three hundred and fifty-nine students received degrees from the various colleges at Berkeley this year, as against 343 for the year 1902-03. Of this number 142 graduates were from the College of Social Sciences, thirty-three from mechanics, thirty-one from mining, twenty-two from chemistry, sixteen from civil engineering, eight from agriculture, and three from commerce. In addition to these 121 students obtained degrees from the Affiliated Colleges of Law, Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmacy, and twenty-six received higher degrees from the colleges at Berkeley.

The Board of Regents at their last meeting made provision for a professorship in physiography. The department of geology will be materially strengthened by this addition to its teaching force.

The students of the university have subscribed to a fund for the erection of a monument to the memory of John Mitchell, the army veteran who served the military department as university armorer for several years prior to his death three weeks ago. The monument will be erected in the Presido Cemetery, where Armorer Mitchell is buried.

The committee to select a subject for the James Bryce historical essay competition has chosen for a subject "The Making of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo of February 2, 1848." This competition will be for a prize of $100 donated by Mr. Rudolph J. Taussig, a regent of the university. The prize will be awarded next Charter Day to the senior or graduate student of one year's standing who writes the best essay upon the subject announced. The committee has chosen as its third member whose judgment will be final as to the selection of the winner of the competition, James Bryce, the noted historian and commentator on American politics, in whose honor the competition has been named.

The question for the Bonnheim discussion for the coming year will be "The Ethics of the 'Open-Shop' Issue." The Bonnheim discussion is a competitive discussion held annually on some topic of ethics, for a prize of $200 given by Mr. Albert Bonnheim of Sacramento.

The following members of the university were initiated into the Golden Bear: the senior honor society, shortly before commencement: Faculty, Prof. E. J. Wickson; Alumni, Prof. Edmond O'Neill, '79; Frank Otis, '73; Everett Brown, '98; Scott Hendrie, '98 of Chico, Sydney Arnold Tibbetts of Berkeley, Leo Delvin Bishon of Berkeley, John Stephenson Edwards of Santa Barbara, Eugene Russell Hallet of Los Angeles, William Thomas Hale of San Diego, Joseph Philip Loeb of Los Angeles, William Harry Dehm of San Diego, James Adolphus Force of Denver, Col., Roy Chester Hackley of Berkeley, Harry Monroe Howard of Oakland, and Augustin Carter Keane of San Francisco.

MUST DO TIME.

An Associated Press dispatch received last night from San Francisco says the Supreme Court decided yesterday that Frank Metzger, convicted of robbery in Los Angeles, and sentenced to life imprisonment, was not entitled to a new trial.

RETURNED FROM JERUSALEM.

W. E. McVey and W. C. Weld have returned from Jerusalem, where they were in attendance on the National Sunday-school Convention.

A simple and proper method of cleaning costly and easily-injured articles is to make a suds of hot water and Ivory Soap, and allow it to cool until lukewarm. This solution, while very effective, is perfectly harmless.

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PICKANINNIES AWAIT BEEBE.

OLD MAMMY "HANS 'EM OBER TER DE LAW."

"I Can't Get Dere no 'Count Daddy Ter Keer For Dese Chilluns," Declares Disgruntled Negress, and Deposits Smith's Progeny at Prosecuting Attorney's Door.

"I can't git dere no 'count daddy ter keer for dese chilluns and I'se gwine ter han em ober ter der law," said Mrs. Jennie Maxwell, an old-time negro woman, as she appeared at the police station yesterday morning and inquired for the District Attorney.

Three bright-eyed pickaninnies were clinging to her skirts as she ascended the stairs and approached the door leading into the private office of Prosecuting Attorney Beebe. The old woman heard voices inside and she did not attempt to enter, but quietly slipped a note—evidently carefully prepared in advance—under the door. Then turning toward her three young proteges she said: "You chilluns stay right here by dis do' tel yer daddy come. Yo heah me."

A policeman passing from the court-room heard the injunction of the old woman but he paid no particular attention to her as she descended the stairs and disappeared.

Inside Mr. Beebe's office different conditions prevailed at this time. Glancing toward the door the prosecuting attorney noticed a slip of paper which had just been pushed under, and picking it up read:

"Mr. Decrist Attorney

Mr. Smith owes me $23.45 and I can't get anything out of him and I will hafter leave the children for I am not able to take care of them without help and that seems empossible to get and now I am done tryin' hihn for help of his children."

"Good Lord," moaned Beebe as he opened his door and found the three pickaninnies waiting patiently for "dere daddy."

Six jet black eyes and three ebony-hued faces were turned upward in surprise as they inquired for "daddy."

"I don't know anything about your 'daddy,'" said the attorney kindly as he looked down at the little outcasts, "and I'd like to know how the dickens you happened to be left here."

The children could only explain that their names were Smith and that they had been living with an old "mammy" down on Azusa street.

Then the attorney began to think awhile and he quickly recalled Smith's case. Several months ago the old woman applied to the district attorney and sought to have J. B. Smith, father of the children, put on the chain gang and the money he earned turned over to her for the support of the offspring. She was keenly disappointed when informed that chain-gang prisoners did not earn wages. Smith was called up before the attorney at the time and roundly lectured. He made provision for his children and the affair was forgotten until the old woman tried to "han dem chilluns ober ter de law," yesterday and selected Mr. Beebe as her agent.

The children were cared for by the matron until late yesterday aftern

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EDITORIAL SECTION—PART II, MAIN SHEET.

BUSINESS.

Alarm in regard to damage by floods helped wheat, and the close at Chicago was practically at the high point, July touching 89 1-8. Corn, oats and provisions were also strong. The New York stock market took on a tone of intense dullness, but fractional advances in coalers and United States Steel preferred made the closing firm.

THE SENATOR FOR CALIFORNIA.

There has been in certain political quarters a quiet but persistent effort to create an impression that the Hon. Thomas R. Bard is not to be returned to the United States Senate. In some instances it was whispered that he could not be induced to continue in public life. This is a mistake.

Senator Bard's friends, political and otherwise, never entertained these impressions. At all times the Senator has made it plain to those who cared to know the truth that he would go back to Washington upon popular call.

For months past there has been absolutely no grounds on which to base an opinion of any unwillingness on the part of Senator Bard to be of further service to the people if the people manifested a desire for his services. Senator Bard's utterances since his very recent return to the State are in all respects consistent with all his previous outgivings in this regard. The very latest authoritative outgiving of the Senator is this: To the direct question, "Is it your intention to let your name go before the Legislature when it meets at Sacramento next winter?" the answer was immediate and laconically direct, "Yes."

Further on in his interview with The Times the Senator went on to restate what has been his attitude on the Senatorship all the time. His election four years ago was perhaps absolutely unique in American politics. The dignity, with all its responsibilities, came to him unsought, unsolicited. The Legislature turned to him as if by a sort of inspiration. The efficient and statesmanlike manner in which he has filled the office is now a part of the history of the Senate. His devotion to principle and to the interests of California has never been surpassed since this became a nation. On the Cuban Reciprocity Bill his action in standing alone of all the Republican members of the Senate and ably pleading and courageously voting against that bill is an act as unique as was his election. His attitude toward reelection is not exactly unique, but it is of so rare a nature in these days as to be very remarkable. It is so remarkable that it may well be taken as a most important object lesson in present-day politics. It may well set the honest, patriotic citizens of the whole country to thinking earnestly of their duties and functions as electors in this republic.

Let us look at two or three sentences from a recent interview with Senator Bard. It is a fact only too well known that a large number of citizens who are in politics are there not for what they can do for the country, but for what the country can do for them. It is as evident a fact that there is a busy class of citizens whose "trade" is "to do politics." With these the question is not, Whom do the people want to serve them? but whom can we foist on the people for the benefit of the machine? Senator Bard looks with an eye single to the public good and to the wishes of the public. He says I want to go back to the Senate, not to gratify any personal ambition, nor because I have any personal end to gain, but I wish to go there if I can serve the State of California, the country at large, and my party. He puts it plainly that he will not go back to Washington as the result of a campaign of self-seeking, plotting, personal solicitation and political chicanery. He will go if the people wish him to go, if they think he can serve them and reflect honor on the State. His attitude is one of reserve—perhaps of too much reserve—and of self-restraint. Let the people speak first, says Senator Bard. Leave the initiative to the Republican electors of California. Above all, I will not go there by a lavish and corrupt use of money. "I consider it destructive to our ideal American citizenship." "I believe that the way should be free to any citizen, irrespective of his wealth, whose abilities and character entitle him to the respect and confidence of the people, to aspire to the highest honors in the gift of the State; and I am unwilling to set any example or follow any precedent which would be incompatible with this belief."

These manly, patriotic words ought to arouse the enthusiasm of every right-minded Republican in the State to work with all his power for the reelection of Senator Bard. They ring like clarion notes in a day like this, when a notorious roué and incompetent has been trying with such reckless shamelessness to break into the Presidential chair by means of a "lavish use of money," through the corruption, the almost undisguised bribery of an electorate which should be intelligent, pure and independent.

There is a lesser, but a very important reason why Senator Bard should go back to Washington. He holds places on committees whose action bears weightily on the interests of the State. By his term of service Senator Bard has risen to a commanding position on these committees. A new man might not be able to get upon them all, and if he did he would, under the rules, be years in reaching the place of influence held by the incumbent. It is confessedly a great detriment to our legislative service that competent men, whose experience has rendered their services valuable to their constituents, are so frequently replaced by men of no experience.

Senator Bard has placed this matter exactly where it belongs, in the hands of the sovereign people. He has proven himself in all respects a faithful public servant. He is adjudged by his colleagues thoroughly well qualified. He says to the people: "I am your servant if you wish me." It is now for the Republican citizens of California to prove that they will again repose in him the trust reposed in them by this tried and proven servant—a trust worthy of American citizens.

The Times stands for Senator Bard while he is in the race, which is to the end of it.

SIGNIFICANT FIGURES.

The volume of newspaper advertising in a city is a sure barometer of its growth and prosperity. An increase of commercial advertising signifies an increase in trade, and also indicates the generally prosperous condition of business. It is obvious also, that there cannot be any great measure of increase in trade unless there is a corresponding increase in the city's population, and at least a maintenance of the average prosperity of the place.

During the month of May, 1904, The Times printed over seventy-seven columns more advertising than it printed during the corresponding month last year, the exact figures being 66,751 inches during May, 1904, and 65,124 inches during May last year—a net gain of 1627 inches for the month. The average for each day of the month exceeded one hundred columns. Incidentally it may be mentioned that The Times printed during the month of May, 1904, sixty-eight pages more advertising than the other two morning papers combined.

These figures clearly show that the city of Los Angeles is growing very rapidly in population, in volume of its business, in importance and in prosperity. There are many evidences of this truth in addition to the figures quoted above. Building activity and the plans that are forming for the erection of more "skyscrapers" point to the substantial growth of the city and to the sure foundations upon which Los Angeles is built. It is apparent, from all present indications, that the remarkable and astonishing progress made by the city during the past two years is to be eclipsed by the record of the next few years.

These figures also indicate, very plainly and emphatically, that The Times is "keeping up with the procession"—ahead of it, in fact—keeping pace in its growth with the development of the city, in the upbuilding of which it has always played and always will play an important part. The growth of the city and the coincident increase in The Times advertising conclusively prove that The Times is the best advertising medium within reach, and approaching it from the other side, the fact that the best paper in this section shows such a large increase in advertising patronage conclusively proves the gratifying growth of Los Angeles and vicinity. The propositions "prove themselves" either way you figure them. It is also significant, as proving the statement that The Times is the best advertising medium in the entire Southwest, that The Times printed a total of sixty-eight pages, (not columns, mind you, but pages,) more advertising in the one month of May, 1904, than were printed during the same month in the other two morning papers combined. Let the outstripped rivals howl on, howl on, and on, and on, and on.

According to the New York Sun, Uncle Joe Cannon is about to reconsider his Vice-Presidential attitude and his stock is booming again. Rather thought that Springfield convention would give the Speaker a new thought.

A PLEA FOR PARTISANSHIP.

Ex-Gov. Black of New York, in a recently-published article, makes a strong plea for partisanship in politics. He proceeds in a somewhat rhapsodical vein, as follows:

"Every great chapter in the world has been written by a partisan. Every great deed which courage and devotion could perform, the partisan has done. Every crisis that has raised a front so terrible and threatening that only the best and bravest could hope to win, the partisan has met. Every great cause which called for hopeless years of suffering, and demanded men whose struggles ended only with the grave, has enlisted only partisans. Out across the vast and never-ending plain of human sacrifice the marks that will be visible as long as men shall come this way are the footprints of the partisan; and the imperishable monuments to liberty and truth are built upon his bones.

"A non-partisan is an unbeliever. He goes where the wind goes. He is ready to agree with those who oppose, and the first word upon his tongue is compromise. There are no mountains in his country. Everything must be brought to a dead level. All landscapes are made smooth by reducing the elevations. He removes opposition only by surrender. No non-partisan was ever found upon a summit unless partisans had raised him there. Destitute of strong beliefs, he is destitute of great courage. His character has never aroused my admiration; his professions have never gained my confidence."

This is all very well from one point of view. From another point of view it is not so well. The partisanship that proceeds from intelligent analysis, leading to strong convictions, is to be respected. It is apt to be somewhat dogmatic, impatient of contradiction, and all that; but it is at least sincere, and the partisan of this kind is ready at all times to give reasons for the faith that is in him. His earnestness is beyond question, his steadfastness beyond reproach. He is one of the bulwarks of political organization, because he has convictions which he is not afraid to defend, and because his unflagging zeal in behalf of principles which he believes to be right impels him to continuous and extraordinary work for the party which advocates those principles.

But there is another kind of partisan who is an object of contempt rather than of admiration. This is the partisan who seldom takes the trouble to think on any political subject; who votes his party ticket blindly, without considering the methods by which nominations are made, the character of the men nominated, or their qualifications for public service; who supports without question the work of the political machine, if it works within his party, no matter how corrupt may be its methods nor how unfit the men whom it selects for preferment. Partisans of this class are the bane of politics. They are mere automata, whom the political boss and corruptionist uses to carry out his nefarious purposes. The high-minded partisan, who is a partisan from conviction and not from mere expediency or thoughtless passivity, cannot be thus used by the manipulator of machine politics, for he is apt to rebel through the very intensity of his convictions if he imagines that his high ideals are being subordinated to base uses.

But after all is said and done, the independent voter is a political factor that must be reckoned with. Though partisans affect to despise him, in reality they respect him. The independent voter is often a partisan, under normal conditions, but is spurred into independent action by the sins of his party. The independent voter is almost necessarily a man of strong convictions; and one of the strongest of these is the conviction that partisanship may be carried too far when it leads in the direction of political dishonor. The independent voter holds the balance of power, and when he sees fit to exercise it he wields a tremendous influence for good in checking the extremes of partisanism. Hide-bound partisans and professional politicians of all parties fear the independent voter, and he compels them to respect him. If it were not for the check placed by the independent voter upon partisan excesses, there would be far more corruption in our political system than it now possesses—and heaven knows that there is more than enough as the case now stands.

Another World's Fair proposition is on the programme. A circular has been received, descriptive of the Liege Universal and International Exposition, to be held in 1905, in the city of that name, in Belgium, "under the high patronage of the King of the Belgians" and other dignitaries of the little European kingdom. It is to open in April, and will last about six months. The circular outlines a comprehensive and interesting display. The city of Liege itself is worthy of a visit and within a couple of hours' ride of that place are many other cities that are full of historical interest. Further particulars in regard to the exposition may be obtained from the Belgian Vice-Consul in Los Angeles, Victor Ponet.

The arrival of warships at Tangier is reported to have frightened the Moslems, making them think their religion is in danger. American naval marksmanship has apparently impressed the Moslems with the fact that it isn't always safe to leave any tangible religion or anything else lying around loose within range.

Ex-President Cleveland, in declaring himself for Judge Parker, refers feelingly to "that irrationalism" with which his party "has been afflicted in the last two presidential campaigns." It remains to be seen whether the National Democracy has recovered from this disease. The probabilities are it has been afflicted so long that its case has become chronic.

It seems reasonably certain that James S. Young of Pittsburgh, whom the President has appointed to investigate the charges of official wrongdoing in Alaska, will receive a cold reception when he arrives on the scene.

Some of the patriots who have enlisted under the banner of the Afternoon Cry of Grief in its whining, anti-printing contract campaign, are trying hard to operate under cover, but they have made tracks, and those tracks are known by the hoof-prints of their authors. Private disappointments and personal animus cannot be palmed off for patriotism. The ass and the leopard—well, about everybody is "onto the curves" of them.

Having forbidden her women to drink in public places, Boston is now trying to prevent the sale of fruit on Sunday, except such as is bought to be eaten on the premises. If Boston persists in her reform movement she may in time become a very respectable and highly civilized community.

Senator Depew has advised the members of the Yale law school not to go into politics until they have achieved financial independence. But Mr. Hearst is prepared to state that "financial independence" is a mighty vague and intangible quantity after one gets thoroughly into politics.

One alleged aspirant for the Mayoralty, M. Koepfli, comes forward with an early and explicit denial. He declares that he is not a candidate, and would not take the office if elected to it—or words to that effect. The rolls are open for more enlistments, retirements and denials.

The Pico Heights Methodists have decided to relinquish any claim they may have to the old bell, and will return it to the Catholics. Thus the Methodists settle the dispute amicably, and the Catholics get the bell. And now the question is pertinent, which wins?

A pension has just been granted, the application for which has been pending thirty-four years. This pensioner should extend the hand of sympathy to the man whose poem is bought by a monthly magazine, to be paid for on publication.

The failure of the Texas man who took several hundred alligators to the World's Fair and is unable to sell them, demonstrates that it is not possible for every scaly proposition to succeed at St. Louis.

Ben Tillman declines to commit himself to any particular candidate, and it is understood that each of the aspirants has written him a personal letter expressing his warm thanks and appreciation.

The Daughters of 1812 are in session at the World's Fair. From the appearance of their pictures in the St. Louis newspapers, they are younger than the Daughters of the Revolution. Which, it would seem, is at it should be.

The pert paragraphers are having a lot of fun over the exhumation of a cornet, 3000 years old, from Roman ruins. But they should remember that the neighborhood horn was no funnier then than it is now.

It was very nice in the mother's club of New York to agree to the admission of fathers as associate members—upon the payment of the customary fees and dues. Or was it merely a matter of habit?

Amid the solemn seriousness of the campaign there is an occasional newspaper which injects a bit of lively humor by referring to the President's candidacy as the Republican party's "peril."

There is lacking only one minor detail to make effective the Michigan judge's ruling that a husband may spank his wife, and that is to get the consent of the wife.

Uncle Russell Sage says "save time." This does not appear to differ materially from Uncle Russell's famous and long-established attitude, for "time is money."

Some man who professes to know Judge Parker declares that the Judge has "a sweet tenor voice." Begins to look as if we'd have to take his word for it.

Uncle Russell Sage does not believe in vacations. Well, there are a good many people who don't take any too much stock in your Uncle Russell.

At any rate the Ohio Democratic convention didn't view anything with alarm. We are glad of that. It's such a relief.

In naming the alleged baby Dolores, they evidently believed, with Pooh Bah, that the punishment should fit the crime.

A man in Newport boasts of having an old parrot that, despite its age, talks fluently. Send it to Lincoln, Neb.

A Michigan judge has ruled that a husband may spank his wife; but it does not necessarily follow that he can.

The situation at Springfield indicates that Uncle Joe Cannon's gavel arm is to be put to the supreme test.

Up to the time of going to press the Carnegie hero fund commission was still in executive session.

Dispatches tell us that a Missouri man has "invented a voting machine." But why "invented?"

The San Bernardino plague story proves to be unfounded, but Riverside still has Tom Hays.

But really, Port Arthur has become so accustomed to falling that it doesn't mind it at all.

Possibly Judge Parker's reticence may not be so pronounced after the convention.

Wyoming has instructed for Hearst. The sage-brush districts are about all in now.

Delegates to Chicago will not have much to talk about, except the weather.

The hop crop is reported short, but the market for frogs' legs is still long.

If that alleged infant is ever found, the time-honored question will be pertinent: "Whose baby are you?"

There appears to be trouble at the Normal—again.

Big Production of Eggs.

Recent government reports place the average output of eggs in the United States at 60,000,000,000 a year, and the average value at between 11 and 12 cents a dozen, or about $7,000,000,000 for the total value. Iowa leads as an egg producing State with an output of 101,000,000 dozen a year.—[New York Times

THE PLAYHOUSES.

Slapoffsky Signed.

The Orpheum management yesterday completed arrangements whereby Mme. Slapoffsky, now singing at the Orpheum in this city, will become a feature under Meyerfeld's management throughout the whole circuit.

This prima-donna soprano was not an Orpheum star at all, although the fact was probably not generally known, and came to the United States from Australia not many weeks ago to head an opera company. She found that opera companies usually made romantic hits and walked between towns, and finally decided to devote her talents to vaudeville.

She will be a feature wherever Meyerfeld's theaters extend—and that is a good ways.

Sothern's Story.

E. H. Sothern, the distinguished actor, is writing a story the scene of which is laid near Los Angeles. Such is the report of Samuel Freedman, his business manager, who was in Los Angeles yesterday. Mr. Freedman is somewhat a man of letters himself, and is collaborating with the literary Thespian on this effort.

Last evening he left for Riverside, in search of more "local color." Sothern expects to finish his short romance here.

Another story of the two, entitled "The House of Dreams," has recently been published in the East.

Burbank Improvements.

The Burbank Theater is to be remodeled in its interior.

No alterations of any sort will be made in the plan of the house, but it will be repainted and redecorated, and seated with cushion leather chairs.

This work is to commence in about three weeks—or perhaps four. The Baker theater company has two weeks more to play, and then a week will be filled in with a traveling combination. After the change comes Mrs. Leslie Carter, in her production of "Du Barry." This celebrated actress will appear at Morosco's theater for one week.

Following Mrs. Carter the Morosco company will return from northern triumphs—doubtless to a hearty welcome from friends made at their initial performances.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Successful Girl.

Some time ago Miss Isabella Curl of Los Angeles left for study in Milan, Italy. She has returned therefrom, and recently appeared at a concert given in Oneida, N. Y.

This is the estimate of the music man on the Oneida Union: "The star of the evening was Miss Isabella Curl, who has recently returned from studying in Milan Italy. She has a figure that is most beautiful and a manner no less charming. Her voice is a rich soprano of marvelous clearness and sweetness, and every note was round, full and liquid. Every selection was roundly applauded, and she gracefully responded to encores. Her equal has never been heard in this city."

Good for Miss Curl!

Choral Association.

Members of the conference chorus have just completed the organization of the new permanent choral society, under the name of the Festival Chorus. George A. Grade has been chosen chairman of the body, pending a more solid organization, and committees on constitution and bylaws have been appointed. Harry Barnhart was unanimously elected director at the first meeting, and it was also decided to become an integer of the allied choruses. Rehearsals are to be held every Tuesday evening.

High School Chorus.

The High School chorus, composed of 275 voices under the direction of Harry Barnhart, will give McFadden's "May Day" on June 17, at Simpson Auditorium. The chorus will be assisted by the High School Glee, Mandolin and Guitar clubs.

Time Was Too Short.

"So," sobbed Ilima Vaselineovitch, "Ivan Ninespotsky died in battle! Do you say he uttered my name as he was dying?"

"Part of it," replied the returned soldier; "part of it."—[Ft. Worth Record.

The Suit Didn't Suit.

"Are you sure that my daughter favors your suit?"

"Well, no, she doesn't. But I promised I'd go to another tailor as soon as I fixed things with you."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MAY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of circulation of The Times for May, 1904:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of May, 1904, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

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2	34,000	18	35,000
3	34,500	19	35,150
4	35,100	20	35,920
5	35,000	21	35,500
6	35,200	22	51,500
7	35,200	23	35,000
8	52,500	24	35,100
9	34,000	25	35,000
10	34,200	26	35,050
11	35,100	27	35,000
12	35,200	28	34,500
13	35,500	29	52,000
14	35,000	30	35,300
15	51,500	31	34,000
16	35,200		

1,172,750

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1904.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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The average circulation for every day of May, 1904, was	37,863
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NOTE:—The large daily average for May, 1905, was due to the fact that The Times issued during that month a special Fiesta Number of over 100,000 copies; otherwise a substantial gain in the daily average for May, 1904, would have been shown.

MAY ADVERTISING.

During May, 1904, The Times printed a total of 66,751 inches of paid advertising, as against 65,124 inches for the same month of 1903, showing a gain of 1627 inches for the month. The average for each day of the month exceeded 100 columns.

The two other morning newspapers combined printed a total of 56,785 inches—one publishing 32,013 inches and the other 24,772 inches of paid advertising, the latter showing a loss of 12,889 inches in the single month named. It will be seen that The Times published sixty-eight pages more advertising during May than the other two morning Los Angeles papers combined

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.]

Cruelty at the Chutes.

LOS ANGELES, June 3.—[To the Editor of The Times:] We were glad to note The Times' comment on "the daily contest between the trainer and the lion" at Chutes Park. What else is it but cruelty to fire blank cartridges at the poor, imprisoned beast till he is in a frenzy of fear? A creature who would rejoice over the fact that he had cruelly wounded the poor beast, and say he would further torment the animal, when he recovered from the wounds he richly deserved, is certainly not the man to have charge of imprisoned animals. The fact that such exhibitions of cruelty are permitted is not calculated to give one a very high opinion of either the patrons or the management of the Chutes.

A. J. B.

Advertise Our Oranges.

LOS ANGELES, May 27.—[To The Editor of The Times:] I have been very much interested in reading your recent editorials on advertising the orange. I notice that my plan of creating a permanent advertising fund by direct tax of 1 cent per box is receiving indorsement, not only by the orange men, but by the prune people in Northern California, Washington and Oregon. I have at previous and at different times called attention to this most important step. In my remarks before the Twenty-eighth Annual Convention of California Fruit Growers I emphasized the importance of creating a permanent fund of this kind, to be used for advertising purposes.

The orange business requires and demands an advertising fund large enough to command the attention of the consumers of this country, and that there should be a fund of this kind created at once needs no further argument. The trouble with the average fruit grower is he thinks that the public knows all about his product when, as a matter of fact, the public is grossly ignorant. The orange is regarded by many people as a luxury. Oranges are not a luxury. They are an important article of food. If people of means knew this they would use a dozen oranges where they now use one. And people in more moderate circumstances, if they knew that a little money spent on oranges would prevent sickness, would feel justified in spending many times as much for oranges as they do now. The trouble is they don't know. Why? The orange men have never told them. I sometimes think the fruit grower's market is not an actual reality to him, but simply some point to which he ships cars and where some man gets the most money he can out of the oranges.

The orange grower must come to realize that his market is another set of human beings just the same as himself, and that they have daily needs to be supplied and pleasures to cater to, and that they are open to arguments about oranges just as he himself is to argument about grapenuts, or sapolio or force.

After some plan has been devised for the creating of a permanent advertising fund, the details for a successful advertising campaign can be taken up and worked out by experienced men who have made advertising a study.

Yours Very Truly,
W. D. CURTIS.

ARMY AND NAVY MEN.

Lieut. P. K. Brice, Artillery Corps, will leave the Presidio in a few days for duty at West Point.

Capt. Irving W. Rand, assistant surgeon, Ord Barracks, Monterey, Cal., will proceed to the Presidio.

Major and Mrs. W. P. Kendall from Ord Barracks are guests of Gen. and Mrs. MacArthur at Fort Mason.

Capt. John T. Haines, U.S.A., and Mrs. Haines and their three young daughters have arrived at Fort Riley, Kan., from California.

Dr. Henry Gibbons, Jr., of San Francisco, Cal., announces the engagement of his daughter, Margery, to Lieut. Edward Marsh Shinkle, Artillery Corps.

Seargent, First Class, Arthur A. Chenay, H.C., is assigned to duty in the office of the Medical Superintendent Army transport service, San Francisco.

Surg. C. T. Hibbett, U.S.N., will sail from San Francisco June 11, to take charge of the naval hospital at Cavite, relieving Surg. P. A. Lovering, who is ordered home.

An invitation to accompany Civil Engineer Robert E. Peary, U.S.N., on a part of his expedition to the Arctic this summer, is being extended to a limited number of people.

Capt. C. C. Ballou, Fifteenth Infantry, the present commanding officer of the detention camp at Port McDowell, will accompany the recruits to the Philippines, returning afterwards to his regular station at Monterey.

First Lieut. W. R. Davis, assistant surgeon, has been ordered to report as transport surgeon to the Sheridan, relieving Lieut. Alexander Murray, assistant surgeon.

Gen. and Mrs. Miles will leave Washington early in June for Cold Springs, N. Y., on the Hudson, where they have leased for the season Glenwood, the home of Mrs. Higginson and her sister, Miss Haldane, of New York.

Mrs. R. W. Johnson, wife of Maj. Johnson, surgeon, U.S.A., has just rejoined her husband in St. Louis, after a visit of three months in California, with her parents, Gen. and Mrs. Thomas McGregor. Maj. Johnson is in charge of the Medical Exhibit at the St. Louis Fair.

As to the value of battleships Rear-Admiral Evans, U.S.N., is quoted as follows: "This agitation against battleships is foolish. It can be best answered in the Yankee fashion by asking this question: 'How long would the Russian fleet stay in Port Arthur if there were no Japanese battleships outside?' There is nothing that can replace the big battleships."

Maj.-Gen. MacArthur and staff inspected Alcatraz Island last Saturday. Among the officers were Capt. P. W. West and Capt. F. L. Winn, aide, Col. George Andrews, A.G., of the Pacific Division; Col. W. S. Patten, Q. M., of the department; Capts. W. S. Overton and H. C. Davis, Artillery Corps. At noon Maj. A. R. Paxton, Thirteenth Infantry, served a delightful luncheon.

The third battalion of the Tenth Infantry, Maj. R. C. Van Vliet commanding, have been twice as long on the range at Point Bonita as the other battalions of the regiment, so that they have had a good opportunity for a complete and thorough practice. The scores will not be in for some time, as they are just finishing the record practice now, but it is thought there will not only be about thirty-five marksmen, but a number of sharpshooters as well.

CHILDREN STILL.

We seek no more a daily prize,
No triumph in our dreams,
So changed the luster of the skies,
So faint and few the gleams.
Yet comes anew, when others [illegible]
That unforgotten thrill,
And are we dull and old today,
Or only children still?

We loved the battle once, but now
We are not overbold;
There's wisdom on the weary brow,
An ice in our hearts the cold.
Yet in the light of eager eyes
We lose the wintry chill,
And then we are not overwise,
But simple children still.

The visions of our glorious youth
Have faded long ago;
We hope no more to find the truth,
And should we care to know?
Not ours to scale the viewless heights
But there's a purple hill,
And still we gladden at the sight
And climb as children still.

How much of all the good we plan
Is perfect or begun?
Who watched the lifting of God's hand
And waits for his "well done?"
But when the children whom we love
The good we missed fulfill,
Thank God our hearts prevail to prove
The hearts of children still.
—[Hugh Macnaughton, in London Saturday Review.

At Denver the fire and police boards appointed Thursday by Mayor [illegible] yesterday elected Police Captain Michael M. Delaney chief of police, to succeed Hamilton Armstrong, who was elected Sheriff at the last city election.

There are
Over 120,000
Kimball Pianos
Of this vast number we have sold nearly 5000
IN LOS ANGELES
and vicinity.
Ask any owner of a Kimball piano as to its merits.
Bartlett Music Company
233-235 S. Broadway.
—OPP. CITY HALL—

Smart Shoes for the Smart Set...
$6.00
Another new shape in the celebrated Johnston & Murphy's Men's shoes; tan Russia calf; lace; "Po-Tay" last; price six dollars; exceptionally good value.
Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Co.
215 South Broadway.

CORRECT TIME
Can only be insured by the efforts of the best watchmakers. There are any amount of watchmakers who DO AT IT. The men who can DO IT CORRECTLY are few. We have the best men known to the trade in our watch department; all we ask is a trial.
J. G. Donavan & Co.
Watchmakers,
245 SOUTH SPRING.

Los Angeles Optical Co.
433 S. BROADWAY
IN OUR NEW STORE.

$4.75 A BARGAIN

This 8-Day Clock
Case is made of Black Ebonized wood; Adamantine Finish; Gilt Trimmings; Cathedral Gong Strikes hours and half hours.
Good reliable clock; fully warranted for one year. Sold the world over for not less than $7.50 by everyone.
Our price as long as they last is
—$4.75—
MONTGOMERY BROS.
Jewelers and Silversmiths
Douglas Building, Spring and Third Streets.

DANIELS IS A DEAD ONE.

Orange Growers' Bank Wreck Bad for Him.

Disposes of His Interest in Riverside "Enterprise."

That Notorious Sheet Loses by Upholding Rascals.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, June 3.—Congressman M. J. Daniels is out of politics. This fact has been well known throughout this district practically ever since Tom Hays's dishonest dealings with the Salt Lake Railroad were exposed. It was rendered positive by the disclosure of Hays's peculations from the defunct Orange Growers' National Bank. It has not been openly charged that Daniels knew that his protegé had been stealing for years, and Daniels has not been accused of having had a guilty knowledge of the defalcations; but those who lost by reason thereof cannot understand how it happened that Daniels did not know what Hays was doing, and inasmuch as he has never explained or answered that reasonable inquiry, public confidence in him has become anything but what it was when he was elected two years ago, and for that reason he is out of politics.

No announcement of his retirement has been made as yet by Daniels himself, but in an announcement published here recently is to be found a straw which shows the direction of the wind. It was the simple statement that the Daniels interest in the Riverside Enterprise had been disposed of and thereafter the Congressman would have no connection with that paper, his retirement from that doubtful venture carrying with it, of course, the retirement of his son-in-law, Pember Castleman, who has hundreds of friends in this county.

By severing his connection with that paper Daniels is left without an organ, and if he intended entering what to him would be a hopeless race for reelection it is only reasonable to suppose that he would not have gone into the campaign without his newspaper backing, which, in the light of recent events, would be of doubtful benefit to his or any other person's campaign.

ANOTHER SIGNIFICANT FACT.

The announcement of the sale of the Daniels stock in the paper reveals an even more significant fact. It is a public acknowledgement of the truth of the charge so often made and never denied that that sheet is and has been the organ of Tom Hays. The truth of that charge has been well known here throughout the troubles which Hays has had, but out of town it was not generally known. Now there is no possibility of its successfully denying the charge that, far from being an honest journal published for the best interests of the community, it has been controlled in its policy by a dishonest bank cashier and has been supporting and commending the acts of the Hays gang in public life and out of it.

When Hays was arrested the Enterprise published a weak, pointless lot of gush about him, in which it all but openly defended his thefts, and since then it has endeavored to damn with faint praise the efforts of the honest element in this community to purge the county of dishonest officials who were placed in office by Tom Hays and his creatures.

SOME ENTERPRISE HISTORY.

Time was when it was a respectable journal. In the days of Plaistead its utterances, editorial and otherwise, commanded attention and more or less respect. It was a Democratic organ then and was conducted in such a manner that even in this Republican county it was not a financial failure—far from it. Some years ago one Barton struck town. He hailed from Ontario, where he had been publishing a 2x4 Democratic "gernal," and he sought Riverside because of the wider field it offered. He was a Democrat, or at least he said he was, and in the course of time became chairman of the Riverside Democratic County Central Committee. He had by that time bought into the Enterprise, then a morning paper, and proceeded to continue to copy editorials from the really great Democratic newspapers of the country, sometimes crediting them to their authors.

The sheet had a hard time of it and four years ago the Hays-Noyes outfit wanted it, but could not, or would not, make favorable terms. They therefore brought the Independent over from Perris and published it as a Noyes organ. Financially it was a failure, and there is an overdraft of $1750 due the defunct bank for money which Tom Hays took out of the bank to pay some of the bills. Former Assemblyman Frank Lewis gave his personal note for $1000 of this amount and William McBane for the balance. They will have to pay it. It was directly part of the campaign expenses in the interest of Noyes, but he did not make the amounts good. During that campaign the Enterprise remained a Democratic organ.

DANIELS BUYS AN INTEREST.

About a year later Daniels announced his candidacy for Congress and of course he needed an organ. Hays brought about a deal which gave him one. Daniels, through Hays's negotiations, bought a one-third interest in the sheet and Castleman was given a place on it. To Barton, who was still the Democratic chairman, the deal was very satisfactory. What cared he for principles when there was a goodly block of Hays-Daniels money in sight? The paper was changed to a Republican organ and to an afternoon publication before he severed his connection with his Democratic committee. When the Democrats went to ask Barton about his betrayal of them he simply resigned from the committee and became a deacon in the Daniels camp meeting. Does any portion of that $196,000 which Hays stole from the bank represent the price of Barton's sudden flop?

There was reason, too, in the action of that gang in changing their organ to an afternoon paper. The Riverside Press had opposed Hays and his gang in season and out of season, and still opposes them, and the change in the Enterprise was for the purpose of putting the Press out of business. Many a day has Tom Hays personally solicited business for the Enterprise, threatening, promising, demanding and begging Riverside merchants to patronize his organ only. His efforts had a boomerang effect, for his opponent prospers while Hays, but for the fact that District Attorney Evans has proved false to his duty in not serving felony warrants, would today be in jail.

SUPPORTS RASCALS.

So far as the Enterprise was concerned, the Hays-Noyes gang could do no wrong. The looting of the county treasury was carried on in so brazen a manner that any honest journal could not have refrained from exposing the stealing. False to its pretensions of being an honest newspaper the Enterprise remained silent and even supported known rascals. When the exposure came it still found only good in Hays and his crowd and almost openly sympathized with them; tried to make them appear as martyrs until the people of Riverside became disgusted with it. No wonder it has lost prestige. No wonder the honest people of the community and county—and they are by far in the majority—have been withdrawing their patronage. Instead of reflecting the opinions of the community or indicating the sentiment of the people, that sheet is now positively known to be the supporter of officials who have been false to the trusts reposed in them. No wonder its bookbinding adjunct and its job office have been serious financial losses, and no wonder that since the Hays exposé its circulation has dropped to such a low figure that only recently it was obliged to dispense with the services of nearly half of its circulators. So repugnant is private and official dishonesty to this community that the people will not support a sheet which has almost openly supported criminal methods.

PIONEER CALLED.

John B. Gollmer Had Resided in Los Angeles Thirty-seven Years.

Pioneers of Los Angeles are shocked by the death of John Gollmer, who expired Thursday evening at 9 o'clock at his home on South Spring street. Death was caused by a stroke of apoplexy.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the chapel of Booth & Boylson, and the interment will be at Evergreen Cemetery in the family plot. Rev. Dr. Schultz of the German Evangelical Church will conduct the services.

Mr. Gollmer was 64 years of age, and had been a resident of Los Angeles for thirty-seven years. He was a native of Southern Germany, his place of nativity being Stuttgart, Wutemburg.

He was married in Germany, and in coming to America he first settled in New Orleans, but after a little over a year's residence there he came to San Francisco, and about two years later to Los Angeles.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gollmer two children were born, both now residing in Los Angeles, Fred J. Gollmer and Mrs. W. O. Gilkey. Mrs. Gollmer also survives her husband.

For many years Mr. Gollmer was employed at his trade as a carriage maker with the firm of Roeder & Lichtenberger, and later, for fifteen years he and his brother, Charles Gollmer, conducted a carriage-making business on their own account. For many years the Gollmer shop was in the present location of the Union Savings Bank on South Spring street.

Mr. Gollmer was one of the first carriage painters in Los Angeles, and to him was given the work of painting the first cars that ran from Los Angeles to San Pedro on the Los Angeles and San Pedro Railway.

He acquired extensive realty holdings in this city, and leaves a considerable fortune. Quiet and unassuming in his manner, Mr. Gollmer refused several times to accept nominations for public offices. He had a wide circle of friends among the pioneers all over Southern California.

World's Fair, St. Louis.

Thousands will go to St. Louis from this Coast, and complete arrangements for carrying them have been made by the Southern Pacific. If you are planning to go, ask any questions about rates, time or trains, by mail or in person, of nearest agent, or of Southern Pacific ticket office, 251 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

If You Want to go East C. Haydock.
Agent Illinois Central R.R. 218 South Spring.

Floating Spots, Dim Vision
and weak eyes, cured by Murine Eye Remedies. A home cure for eyes that need care. No smarting; soothes eye pain. Ask Eye Tonic.

HF THE MARK OF GOOD CLOTHES
KNOW US FOR BEST VALUES

If the summer time is going to take you among the "highways and byways" and flyways, before you fly away, come here to buy away, and you'll escape the highways of high prices.

Our special today and for the coming week is

100 Men's Outing Suits at $7.50, worth regularly from $10 to $12.50.

Harris & Frank
LONDON CLOTHING CO.
117 TO 125 NORTH SPRING STREET

TEETH
ON PLATES THAT FIT
GUARANTEED
Dr. M.E. Spinks.
Cor. 5th & Hill Sts.

WUERKER OPTICIAN
229 S. SPRING ST.

J.W. ROBINSON CO.
BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE
239 South Broadway, Opposite City Hall, Los Angeles

This announcement is for the men, but many women will take advantage of the opportunity and buy for their men folks who are unable to come to the store.

Men's Specials
FOR TODAY ONLY

We offer three specials from our Men's Furnishing Department, which afford a neat little saving.

Men's $1.50 Pajamas only 95c
We have about 25 dozen men's fine madras cloth Pajamas in medium dark stripes that are in every particular $1.50 garments. These Pajamas are made by one of the best manufacturers in this country and we have them in all sizes. We place them on special sale for today at 95c the suit.

$1.50 and $1 Night Shirts 50c
We place on sale an entire sample line of Men's Night Shirts. They are made up in fine cambrics and muslins, trimmed with Cash's wash trimming, and are regular $1 and $1.50 garments. They are made both with and without collars. Some are slightly soiled from handling as samples. We offer them today at 50c each.

Men's 75c French Balbriggan at 50c
As a special we will sell for today only our regular 75c quality of French Balbriggan at 50c the garment. Shirts in sizes 34 to 44, drawers 30 to 40. These garments are too well known to need particular comment. Choose today at 50c the garment.

Great Muslin Underwear Sale
See Sunday's papers for our great June Clearance Sale Specials for Monday—Muslin Underwear, Black Dress Goods, and many other important items.

Glove Sale Continued Today

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
Los Angeles Agency for "Fasso" corsets, "Redfern" corsets and "Equipoise" waists.

$3 Linen Waists
two dollars

Handsome waists of pure linen—strictly tailor made, mark you—with new double stole collar, large pearl buttons, and pleated back and front. The new champagne shade—every thing about them bears a look of freshness. There'd be no trouble at all in getting $3 for them—but we own this lot under price, and so you can buy today at $2.

75c for 85c, $1.00 and $1.25 Silks
Not out-of-season stuffs, as such a price-cut would lead you to believe.
Taffetas and Louisines of the regular $1.00 and $1.25 grades, in effects especially desirable for shirt waists and suits, 95c a yard.
Cheney Bros.' 24-inch Foulards in the season's choicest designs and colorings—our regular 85c to $1.25 goods, at 75c a yard.

50c for 75c to $1.25 belts
New girdle, crush and tuck effects in black and white gros grain, peau de soie, satins and taffeta silks. Some tailor made styles included. Fancy metal trimmings. Regularly 75c to $1.25. Today only, 50c.

June Sale of Undermuslins
This is a specimen bargain—but no better than dozens of others awaiting inspection. $2.25 and $2.50 skirts at 1.75.
Of muslin or cambric, cut generously full and splendidly made; extra dust ruffles; trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Choice of five styles, for $1.75.
Come in today, if you can. Our big ad in Monday's papers will contain a comprehensive list of prices—reductions—and further particulars of the importance of this June sale.

Bathing Suits
For father and son

Not one man in a hundred who wouldn't get twice the enjoyment out of a bath in his own suit.
And it's cheaper to own your own suit.

Men's Suits
At $1.75—Combination or two-piece suits of black wool with white stripes.
At $3.00—Fine all-wool suits in combination style; black with white stripes.
At $3.50—Fancy striped all-wool suits in combination style.
At $4.00—Fine all-wool suits with fancy shield front; blue, pink, green or red.
Full-length suits of fine all-wool flannel, $4.00.

Boys' Suits
At $1.50—Black wool suits with white stripes—either two-piece or combination style.
At $2.00—Fancy wool suits in red, blue or green, $2.00.
At $1.50—Children's fancy striped all-wool suits with full-length arms, $1.50.
Men's bathing shoes, with cork soles, fifty cents.

25c for 35c to 75c hose supporters
Clean-up of broken lines—not undesirable styles, though. "Catchon," "Grecian Pose" and several other good makes in black and colors.
Regularly 35c, 50c and 75c. Today, 25c.

Linen Mesh and "Merode" Underwear for Women

Coulter Dry Goods Co. 317 to 325 South Broadway

ITALIAN MARBLE
FOR JUNE WEDDINGS.
A nice assortment of smaller pieces ranging in prices from $4.00 to $10.00 Each.
Some larger and more elaborate subjects from $10.00 to $28.00.
H. F. Vollmer & Co.
ON BROADWAY, COR. THIRD

—KODAKS—
Photo Supplies and Artists' Materials. Framing
DEVELOPING, PRINTING AND ENLARGING.
HOWLAND & CO., 113 S. Broadway.

H. JEVNE
Best Candy at Jevne's
And nothing remarkable about that—the best of everything to eat is at Jevne's. When we make anything to sell we determine to make it a little better than anyone else does. That's the way it has been in our confectionery department—we've made it so good that people simply can't help buying Jevne's candy. Fine French candies, plain sugar candies—all other kinds. Everything pure and fresh.
SMOKE JEVNE'S FINE CIGARS
208-210 S. Spring St.—Wilcox Building.

Imperial Lawn Mowers can be sharpened in two minutes by using a common wire nail, a little oil and emery—without removing or changing any parts.
CASS & SMURR STOVE COMPANY,
314 South Spring Street

KAHN'S KLOTHES FIT

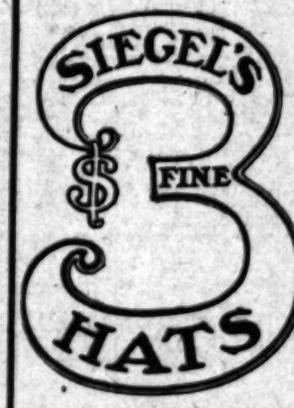
Time for the Light Fancy Outing Suit Now. They will be more popular than ever this summer.
They are dressy and serviceable, too. Better come and choose from our great lines right now, while the choosing is best. There are some fancy mixtures that can't help but appeal to you.
Suits at $7.50, $10, $12.50, $17.50
New cut with cuff bottom pants.
OUR GREAT SATURDAY SPECIAL
Choice of all our $2.50 and $3.00 New Spring and Summer Felt Hats in light and dark colors. Every new shape conceivable, for Saturday only
$1.95.
Just received—new Summer Fancy Vest, light and dark colorings; $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.
KAHN'S,
457 SOUTH BROADWAY.

SUMMER SHOES FOR CHILDREN
Not another store on the coast showing such a complete line of summer shoes for children. The best made shoes in the world—foot form shoes—perfect shapes for children's feet.
PATENT LEATHER OXFORDS
NEWPORT TIES
BUCKSKIN SHOES
BUCKSKIN OXFORDS
BAREFOOT SANDALS
Don't put ill-fitting, poorly made shoes on children when a good Staub shoe costs no more.
C. M. STAUB SHOE CO.
255 South Broadway

DONNELL'S
Pure Baking Powder. Absolutely pure. Helps digestion. Full pound cans only 30 cents. Inferior baking powders sell for 50c.
BAKING POWDER

Siegel's $3 Hats
Made by the same factory that makes the $5.00 hats—made just as well, look as well, and off similar blocks. Every stylish shape in all the popular shades.
All the new effects in straw and stylish Panama Hats.
The newest and swellest neckwear.
A handsome line of fancy vests.
Siegel, Hatter, Haberdasher, Hotel Nadeau Bl'd'g, 103 S. SPRING.

The style you like in any hat, costs only $3.00 at Siegel's.



Your friends save money at Siegel's. Perhaps your money is worth saving too.

Wanted.
Party to erect at once for large, reliable firm a loft building not less than four stories and containing at least 40,000 square feet of floor. Fifteen year renewal lease. Between Hill, Main, Fourth, Seventh streets.
GEO. E. HUNTSBERGER,
420 West First.

Women's Tans
$3.50

Russia Calf, welted soles, Po Ta Toe (newest New York shape) AAA to E.
Come to us, we can fit and please you.
BURNS
240 S. Spring St.

JUDSON-ALTON EXCURSIONS
Personally Conducted to Kansas City, Chicago, Boston, VIA THE
Denver & Rio Grande
(SCENIC ROUTE)
Through car leaves Los Angeles Thursdays. Annex car Tuesdays connecting at Oakland Pier with a through car for the east Wednesdays. Tourist cars of latest design. Lowest rates, best service. Stop over at Niagara Falls if desired. World's Fair excursions June 2, 16 and 23. We can also save you considerable in shipment of household goods.
Office 109 Stimson Block, Los Angeles.

"Seagirt," Ocean Park
A new and beautiful residence addition, four minutes from the sea at Ocean Park, just placed on the market. Lots 50 x 120 feet. Water piped to each lot; gas, electric light and cement sidewalks. Two short blocks from Flyer Station. Prices from $400 to $800 per lot. Terms easy.
Tomblin & Robinson, General Agents
Or any real estate agent in Ocean Park. Our carriage is at your service.

Screen Doors 75c
Screens 50c
470 S. Main.
Adams Mfg. Co.
Home Ph. 127
Main 127

Frank B. Long PIANO
Unequaled in tone. 514 S. Hill St

FURS Made to order and stored.
D. BONOFF, Furrier, No. 311 South Broadway.

New Fruits Galore
CHERRY BARGAINS TODAY.
Today more tasty and alluring than best desert the chef can make and foothill Vegetables just as tempting and abundant.

Watermelons,	Berries (all kinds,)	Green Corn,
Cantaloupes,	Pears,	Celery,
Faster Apricots,	Currants,	Eggplant,
Table Apples,	Point Limon Bananas,	Cauliflower,
Cranberries.	Bell Peppers,	Ehmann Olives.

Phones 550 Ludwig & Matthews, Mott Market

75c Sale of Ladies' Kid Gloves.
TODAY
1 and 2 clasp Kid Gloves with Paris Point embroidery, from our $1.25 and $1.00 qualities at 75c the pair.
The Goetz Glove Co., 421 S. Broadway

MUNGER'S LAUNDRY—814-818 SOUTH MAIN STREET BOTH PHONES 1250

BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for the Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5.

Mark xv, 1-15: "Christ's Trial Before Pilate." A.

THE CONNECTION.

It is Friday morning, April 7, A.D. 30, somewhere near 7 o'clock, when Jesus is first brought before Pilate. After observing for the last time the Passover supper in the upper room and instituting His own supper, and talking and praying with them, Jesus retires to the olive garden, just over the brook Kidron, where He was arrested. His enemies would have put Him to death on the spot, had they dared. They must try Him first and then have the Roman governor to sentence Him. There were three stages in their ecclesiastical trial—first an examination before Annas, the ex-high-priest, whose sons had held the office and whose son-in-law, Caiaphas held it now, and who had great weight with officials and people; then a trial before Caiaphas and part of the Sanhedrin, or council, assembled before daylight; finally a trial before the whole council, assembled after daylight to conform to the law. Now He is brought to Pilate to get his approval of the death sentence. There are three stages in the civil trial—before Pilate, then before Herod, who happened to be visiting Jerusalem at that time, then before Pilate again. Our lesson covers both trials before Pilate and omits all notice of the effort of Pilate to have Herod decide the case.

THE LESSON.

I.

"The First Trial." (Verses 1-5.)

"1. And straightway in the morning the chief priests with the elders and scribes, and the whole council, held a consultation, and bound Jesus, and carried Him away, and delivered Him up to Pilate. 2. And Pilate asked Him, Art thou the King of the Jews? And He answering saith unto Him, Thou sayest. 3. And the chief priests accused Him of many things. 4. And Pilate again asked Him, saying, Answereth thou nothing? behold how many things they accuse thee of. 5. But Jesus no more answered anything; insomuch, that Pilate marveled."

1. Before taking Him to Pilate.

Here is an allusion to the final trial by the Jewish Council. When He was brought before Annas in the night His death was decided on; while before Caiaphas and the informal council, the charge was agreed on and sentence passed; now when all the council is convened at a lawful hour they bind Him and send Him to Pilate. Their crime was outrageous and in these particulars. They had made no indictment, since it took the concurrent testimony of two witnesses, so difficult had their law purposely made it to secure conviction in a capital offense, and their witnesses did not agree; yet they treated Him as a criminal; they had illegally tried to compel the Prisoner to testify against Himself; they had violated law in trying Him at night; they had violated the law that required one night to pass after a trial before sentence of death could be pronounced; they violated the law that forbade the trial of a criminal case the day before a Sabbath or a feast. In condemning Him, binding Him, and demanding Pilate's concurrence, they are illegal as well as inhuman. Another thing we learn from John (18:28). They would not enter the home of a gentile, during a festival, because they would be ceremonially defiled by it, so they called Pilate out.

2. Their charge against Him.

They should have had their charge in legal form, but we learn from John that when Pilate asked for it, they assumed dignity and told him it was enough that they had found Him an evil doer. They were insolent. They and Pilate were in an ugly mood. He had tried once to subdue them, but in vain and he was vindictive now. They know he would rather be governor than be right and that, in the final battle, he will let them have their way rather than give them an excuse to go to Rome and accuse him of shielding an enemy of Caesar. He had lost one point in coming out to them rather than in compelling them to come to him. His reply was that, as they wanted to be the sole judges they could be the sole executors and go as far as their law would permit. In answering him that they were not permitted to put any man to death, they disclosed their intention. They say nothing of the actual charge of blasphemy, for Pilate would have laughed them out of court. But they do bring the startling charge that He is a revolutionist (Luke 23:2) and in a threefold way—seditious, in perverting the Jewish nation with rebellious sentiments; rebellious in refusing to pay tribute to Caesar; treasonable, in claiming to be a King, therefore a rival of Caesar's. That compelled Pilate to investigate, though he knew that Jesus was innocent and that His accusers were moved by malice and not by a desire to protect Caesar.

3. Christ's answer.

There was just one thing for Pilate to ascertain—whether Jesus really set Himself up for a King. From John we learn that he called Jesus inside the palace and asked Him. The reply, "thou sayest" is equivalent to "yes." John (18: 33-38) details the conversation in which Jesus first asked in what sense he meant a king, Roman or Jewish; whether he had a personal, or official, interest in the matter; then to Pilate's reply, confesses that He is a King and has a kingdom not of this world, but a kingdom of truth. He thus, as Paul says, "witnessed a good confession before Pontius Pilate," telling of His humanity, His divinity and His making that sort of claim and talking only of truth, he went back with the conviction that Jesus was not a criminal and told the Jews so, although he probably thought that He was a harmless or insane enthusiast. Jesus was acquitted.

But when the Jews brought all sorts of accusation against Him Pilate did not dismiss them. He dallied with them and tried to get Jesus to defend Himself. He made no reply. He had avowed Himself the Messiah before each of His judges, and now He held His peace. He will speak when He can make known truth or keep one from doing wrong. But not to defend Himself against blind, unrelenting hatred. It was "a silence only possible to an exalted nature full of self-control, since the words actually spoken redeem it from any suspicion or stain of sullenness." That calm silence, with its majesty and its self-control excited the wonder of poor Pilate.

II.

"The Second Trial." (Verses 6-15.)

"6. Now at the feast he used to release unto them one prisoner, whom they asked of him. 7. And there was one called Barabbas, lying bound with them that had made insurrection, men who in the insurrection had committed murder. 8. And the multitude went up and began to ask him to do as he was wont to do unto them. 9. And Pilate answered them, saying, Will ye that I release unto you the King of Jews? 10. For he perceived that for envy the chief priests had delivered Him up. 11. But the chief priests stirred up the multitude, that he should rather release Barabbas unto them. 12. And Pilate again answered and said unto them, What shall I do unto Him whom ye call the King of the Jews? 13. And they cried out again, Crucify him. 14. And Pilate said unto them, Why, what evil hath He done? But they cried out exceedingly, Crucify Him. 15 And Pilate, wishing to content the multitude, released unto them Barabbas, and delivered Jesus, when he had scourged Him, to be crucified."

Between the events of this section and the first must have occurred the incident of sending Jesus to Herod. Jesus would not amuse the sated voluptuary with a miracle and the latter insulted Him with mock honors and sent Him back to Pilate. Now in this second trial, Pilate makes another effort to release Him, instead of setting Him free at once.

1. There was a custom of releasing one prisoner on this day, perhaps from such sentiments of good will as prompt the release of a prisoner on our Thanksgiving Day. Jesus and Barabbas were the only prisoners on hand, and it must be one of them. Jesus was not really a prisoner and Barabbas was guilty of the offense they charged Jesus with—insurrection.

2. Pilate thought he would partly satisfy them by sparing Jesus to the shame of being a pardoned criminal. But that was not cruel enough for them, though it would have been an illegal infamy to treat Him so. The infamy of Pilate is rendered all the darker by the knowledge that they were acting on a base motive, and that Jesus was innocent. He knew that they had worked up the cruel mob to join in the cry for Jesus' blood and that they asked him to release a man already indicted and convicted on the charge of insurrection which they said Jesus was guilty of. Pilate consents to it. He also scourged Jesus though he had no right to do so.

He condemned Jesus to death though he knew he himself was violating law; though his wife warns him that she has had terrible dreams on account of Jesus; though he knew that he was simply yielding to the wishes of the mob; though he knew he could never respect himself again for it. Why did he do it? Because he knew they could accuse him at Rome of shielding a man who claimed to be Caesar's rival and he did their will.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

The Jews brought the Son of God to Pilate's judgment seat, that both Jew and Gentile might unite in condemning Him; for it was part of the work of the Redeemer to expose human sin, and here was to be exhibited the me plus ultra of wickedness, as the hand of humanity was lifted up against its maker. And yet that death was to be the life of humanity; and, Jesus, standing between Jew and Gentile, was to unite them in the fellowship of a common salvation.—[Stalker.

The very thing that Pilate feared, and to avoid which he sacrificed the life of our Lord, came upon him six years after. Complaints against him were sent to the Emperor; he was deposed from his office, and so stripped of all that made life endurable to him, that, "wearied wit hmisfortune," and died by his own hand. Perhaps we are tempted to think Pilate's fate severe. We naturally sympathize with him. There are so many traits of character which show well when contrasted with the unprincipled violence of the Jews. We are apt to say he was weak rather than wicked, forgetting that moral weakness is just another name for wickedness, or rather is that which makes a man capable of any wickedness. The man we call wicked has his one or two good points at which we can be sure of him. The weak man we are never sure of.—[Dods.

This scene has often been alleged as the self-condemnation of democracy. Vox populi, vox dei, its flatterers have said; but look yonder. When the multitude has to choose between Jesus and Barabbas. If this be so, the scene is equally decisive against aristocracy. Did the priests, scribes and nobles ever have better than the mob? It was by their advice that the mob chose.—[Stalker.

TRUTHS TO IMPRESS.

1. That dallying with wrong leads to doing wrong.
2. That no law of reasoning will ever allow one to find real fault in Jesus.
3. That to do right is better than to sit upon a throne.
4. That a bad past handicaps one.
5. That no one can make a decision and escape the result of it.
6. That he who turns against Christ wounds his own soul.
7. That the urgent question now is "What shall I do with Jesus?"
8. That the coming question is "What will Jesus do with me?"

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

WITNESS BEARING.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topics of the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Baptist Young People's Union, the Epworth Leagues, etc., for June 5, is "How My Silence Witnesses Against Christ."—[Matt. xii, 30; Luke xvii, 12-18.

By William T. Ellis.

The confession of Christ is more important than the comfort of Christians. We are not here to have an easy time in life. It is by no means essential that we be untroubled in spirit and in body. It is essential, though, that we confess Jesus Christ as our Saviour. To do so may put us at variance with friends; it may bring down upon us the wrath of the world; but none of these things count. The saints of old encountered them at the fiery stake and at the jaws of wild beasts. Rising above all considerations of our personal comfort are the claims of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Confession helps to conquest. It is easier to serve God if we boldly fly His colors from the outset. Taking a decided stand for Him helps us to win other to Him. When we are known as His friends we have increased opportunities to do His service. God likes to send on His errands the servants who are not ashamed of His livery.

"What will people say?" our faint hearts question when we are urged to confess the Saviour. How much we care for people! What matters it what people say? They'll say very little unless we show cowardice, and then they will sneer at us. Let us give over trying to regulate our lives by what people say. Their opinions are of small consequence. Rather let us ask, "What will God say?" How will He regard our confession of His Son? What will He think of our failure to confess that Son?

We may think it unimportant that we confess Christ before men, yet we shall think it tremendously important that Christ confess us before his Father and the holy angels. One depends upon the other.

A tonic for weak-hearted disciples may be found in the perusal of the book of the Acts of the Apostles. Those early Christians saw clearly the truth that loyalty to Jesus was first; so in the teeth of Jews and Romans, councils and governors, they declared their adherence to the Name. Prisons and stonings and stripes befell them, true enough, but none of these things moved them. Nothing could turn them aside from the confession of their Lord.

There is one virtue which in ruder states of society is counted a substitute for many other virtues. This is loyalty. The man who stands by his friends is counted pretty much of a man, even though he be a thief or a murderer. Loyalty is a quality variously interpreted, but it is a trait of all true men. It characterized Jesus Christ throughout. Now He expects loyalty of His friends. He asks that they be true to Him through thick and thin. He has given the fullest proofs of His love to them; in return He reasonably asks that they confess Him as their friend and Saviour. Simple loyalty requires this, and Jesus is worthy of it.

Confession is an aid to constancy. It is easier to keep on Christ's side after taking a stand there. When we are known as Christ's we have less temptation to be untrue to Him.

Sometimes silence is treason; the world must read the gospel in living epistles.

Confession may be a cross, but it is the way to a crown.

The art of speaking the word in season must be learned by all who would win men.

"Let the redeemed of the Lord say so." The voice of such praise and testimony is heard as glad music in the courts of heaven. If you have been redeemed from sin and from daily difficulties say so, and thus bear witness to the power and goodness of the ever-present Helper.

Christian Endeavorers may well study the life of Paul, with its splendid fearlessness and brave loyalty. He was afraid of nothing except that he might not witness worthily for the Saviour whom he represented. Paul was no coward. He was not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, and before kings and captains and murderous mobs he showed that he was not. Oh, that the legion of young disciples today might learn to stand like Paul, unswerving and unswervable, witnesses whom all the powers of the earth could not move.

The truth of witness-bearing, which bears an important relation to the Christian life, is likewise a truth to be learned by citizens.

He who serves his country serves his God. Patriotism requires witness-bearing, both for all that is noble in the national life and against all that is ignoble. There is power in testimony. A few brave men with courage to stand up and bear witness to their convictions have often had more weight in deciding a question than all the mass of craven, or indifferent, ones who have kept silence.

Religion is not to be apologized for, but to be lived forth, gladly, gratefully, exultingly. Of course we cannot enjoy our religion if we are ashamed of it. But when we are proud of the Saviour whose name we bear, and of the gospel, and when we rejoice to testify before all men that we are Christians; then there will come to us a new joy and confidence that are God's rewards to the servants who are not ashamed of Him.

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Hope st. near Ninth. Seats free. Rev. Wm. Horace Day, pastor; Dr. Warren P. Day, D.D., pastor emeritus. Mr. W. F. Skeele, organist and choir master. Take W. Ninth-st. or Traction cars to Hope st. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Dr. Warren P. Day will preach: Twilight communion and reception of members at 5:30. No evening service at 7:45 on account of the communion at 5:30.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Tenth and Figueroa sts. Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock; evening service, 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will occupy his pulpit for the first time since his return from the Orient, and will preach at both services. Subjects, (morning.) "The Life That Glorifies the Land;" (evening.) "The Crowning Conviction of Our Twentieth Century Crusade."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Figueroa and 20th sts. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage, D.D., at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject, "Four Fatal Lines;" evening, "The Source of Evil." Take Washington-st. and University cars to Washington and Figueroa and walk one block south, or Grand-ave. cars and walk one block west.

SERVICES, BROADWAY CHRISTIAN Church, opposite the Courthouse. Preaching by B. F. Coulter at 11 a.m. and by Dr. F. M. Kirkham at 7:45 p.m. Also preaching by Dr. F. M. Kirkham at the Vernon Christian Mission at 11 a.m. and by B. F. Coulter at 7:45 p.m. Mission, 45th and Wadsworth, one block west of Central-ave. car line.

INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF CHRIST, Simpson Auditorium, Hope st. between Seventh and Eighth. Rev. J. S. Thomson, pastor. Subject of sermon Sunday morning, "Christ's Invitation to Test His Doctrines." The services begin at 10:45 a.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. No evening service.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, NEW chapel, 419 E. 21st st. Maple-ave. cars direct; Main-st. or San Pedro cars two or three blocks. D. A. Wagner, minister; preaching Lord's Day, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; conference and testimony meeting, 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

ALL SAINTS' HIGHLAND PARK, WEST Avenue 56; Rev. Dr. A. G. L. Trew, vicar. Services Sunday, June 5, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday-school, 11 a.m.; Litany, holy communion and sermon. All Saints' is 3 blocks west of Pasadena-Garvanza car and 1 block west of University-Garvanza car.

CHURCH OF THE ANGELS, GARVANZA, Avenue 64. The bishop's chapel. Rev. Dr. A. G. L. Trew, chaplain. Services on Sunday, June 5, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday-school in the guild-room, 3:30 p.m., evensong and sermon. Pacific Electric Garvanza cars pass the church.

VINCENT M. E. CHURCH, 27TH ST. NEAR Main. The pastor, Rev. George A. Hough, will preach morning and evening tomorrow; morning theme, "The Divine Sympathy;" evening, "Cause and Cure of Doubt." Take S. Main-st. car.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 727 S. FLOWER st. (Pastor, Joseph Smale.) Tomorrow Rev. W. B. Newell of Chicago, the great Bible expositor, will preach at 11 a.m. Special programme of music morning and evening by the Claflin Quartette.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, HOPE AND 11th sts. The pastor, Rev. A. C. Smither, will preach at 11 a.m. upon "The Three Languages of the Cross," and at 7:45 p.m. upon "Ought Young People Dance." Seats free. All invited.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 21st st. and Lovelace ave. Take University and Daly-st. car to 21st st. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Mallows; 11 a.m., "The City of the Future;" 7:30 p.m., "The Weakness of the Strong."

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, corner 28th st. N. L. Rowell, D.D., pastor. Morning, "Sin Taken Away." Communion and reception of members. Evening, "Some Present Lessons."

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Eighth and Flower. Rev. Herbert J. Wagner, will preach at 11 on "A Prevalent Evil," and at 7:30 his theme will be "Waiting on God." Strangers welcome.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH—PASTOR W. Hudson Ballard, 327½ S. Spring st. Regular services; 9:45 a.m., Bible school; 11 a.m., preaching; 7 p.m., Young People's meeting.

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Santee sts. Rev. Henry W. Crabbe, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN, W. 37TH AND Main. Rev. W. S. Young, D.D., pastor. Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, GRAND ave. and 23d st. Charles C. Pierce, pastor. Regular morning and evening services.

BOYLE HEIGHTS M. E. CHURCH, THE pastor, Dr. Wilbert P. Ferguson, will preach morning and evening. Strangers welcome.

A Big Special Sale.

Calls & Cooper have succeeded the Miller Cloak and Suit Company, 332 South Broadway. By way of introduction to the ladies of this city the new firm is holding a great inaugural special sale. Only the newest styles are shown.

World's Fair, St. Louis.

Thousands will go to St. Louis from this Coast, and complete arrangements for carrying them have been made by the Southern Pacific. If you are planning to go, ask any questions about rates, time of trains, by mail or in person, of nearest agent, or at Southern Pacific ticket office, No. 261 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES

The State buildings were dedicated today at the World's Fair, those of Missouri and Indiana.

It is generally believed that the facilities granted to American flour will not impair Argentina's imports.

No new development has occurred in the negotiations with Argentina for a new commercial treaty, says a New York Herald dispatch from Rio Janeiro.

The first party of twenty surveying engineers for the Panama Canal is selecting suitable locations for campaign out at Gatun. A party of fifty is expected next Tuesday.

A special train on the Pennsylvania Railroad bearing the old Liberty Bell and an escort of about sixty persons, last night left Philadelphia for St. Louis, where the relic will be placed on exhibition in the Pennsylvania Building at the World's Fair.

Patrick J. King, alleged head of the policy ring at Chicago, was indicted today for violation of the lottery laws.

At Galveston, Tex., at the session today, the American Medico-Psychological Association selected San Antonio, Tex., as the place in which to hold the next annual convention.

At Doylestown, Pa., Robert Steele, a wealthy wholesale liquor dealer of Philadelphia, was found dead yesterday with his neck broken. His body was found lying at the foot of an outside stairway leading to a store. The Coroner is investigating.

At Reaver, Pa., Judge Wilson handed down a decision yesterday in the famous slander suit brought against the Hon. John Wanamaker by Former State Printer Thomas Robinson, refusing a new trial. This is a victory for the former Postmaster-General, as Robinson asked for the new trial.

At St. Louis, the transcript in the case against United States Senator Burton of Kansas was filed with the Federal Court of Appeals today. The case probably will be heard at the December term.

While at work on a twenty-story building in Lower Broadway, New York, John Sullivan, a laborer, fell seven stories and lost one of his legs in midair. As he dropped, Sullivan struck an iron girder with great force. It cut off ones of his legs above the knee like a knife.

Rear-Admiral Chadwick, commanding the South Atlantic squadron, now at Tangier, Morocco, has reported to Washington that conditions remain unchanged in the case of the kidnaping of the American citizen, Perdicaris, and his stepson, Varley, a British subject.

At Niagara Falls, the first session of the Dermatological Association convention has been held. John Zesler of Chicago wresided and about fifty members of the association were present. Several papers were read bearing on severe cases of "whisky nose."

A party of Standard Oil officials from New York touring the Kansas oil fields in a special train, practically admitted to a committee of the Chanute Commercial Club yesterday that they had decided to recommend the building of an eight-inch pipe line from Kansas City to Whiting, Ind., to care for the Kansas production. The line, it is estimated, will cost $4,500,000.

At Middletown, O., George W. Powers, an aged lawyer, is dead at his home, after having borne forty years the disgrace of a dishonorable discharge from the army because he knocked down Gen. Mansfield in a Washington hotel while the general was in command of the District of Columbia, then under martial law. The intervention of Secretary Stanton saved Powers from court-martial.

At New York, Kate H. Schmidt, aged 14 years, has been arrested on a charge of forgery. A ladies' tailoring firm, by whom the girl was employed, claims that on several occasions she raised checks so cleverly that bank officials were deceived. Previous employers accuse the girl of larceny and a few months ago she figured as a suspect in an incendiary fire. The magistrate held her for further examination.

At St. Louis the Missouri State Congregational Association has adopted resolutions advocating union with the United Brethren and the Methodist Protestant churches. The resolution met with the unanimous indorsement of the delegates at the annual meeting, and the matter will be further prosecuted.

As a result of the discovery that a number of street sweepers have contracted consumption by inhaling germs, Street Cleaning Commissioner Woodbury of New York, has begun a medical examination of every employé in his department. Returns thus far indicate that the number afflicted will be about 2000 or considerably less than one-third of the total force. Plans are being made to send the sick men to the Adirondacks where the cases are not too far advanced.

Extraordinary precautions are being taken by the New York health department to prevent the communication of tuberculosis through milk from diseased cows. Extra inspectors have been appointed and a strict examination will be made of the many herds producing the bulk of the city's milk supply. New rules are being formulated for the regulation of the traffic and the meat supply will be closely watched.

A wealthy Australian who arrived in New York ten days ago from London was swindled a week ago out of $25,000 by men pretending to be wire fappers. On account of his large business connections and also because of the fact that he was equally guilty with the swindlers, the Australian made no report of the matter to the police, but sailed on the following day for London.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kiel, aged 63, was found dead in the kitchen in the rear of her store by Chicago police. In an adjoining room, Emil Sakrewski, an employé of Mrs. Kiel, was found asleep. He was arrested, and, at the Coroner's inquest, was held to the grand jury for further investigation. A post-mortem examination showed the presence of a quantity of arsenic in the woman's stomach.

Three women who dress stylishly and are experts in the handling of an automobile are being sought by the Chicago police. Articles valued at $1200 were stolen from a furrier's establishment following a visit in an automobile from the two women who requested the goods be "laid aside until morning." The police think the women are working under the instructions of men; in the day time, they locate places and the men per form the burglary at night.

Lawrence C. Phipps, who is said to have kidnaped his two children from a New York hotel, had not arrived at his Pittsburgh house at midnight, last night, so the servants said, and it is believed he has taken another route to Denver, where he lives most of the year. He is reputed to be worth $30,000,000.

Nathan Sibbitt, 14 years of age, who was arrested last Sunday on the charge of being responsible for the death of his mother, whose body was found at her home at Jacobs Creek in a partly decomposed condition, was yesterday formally committed at Trenton, N. J., on a charge of murder. According to the testimony of officers, the lad had a quarrel with his mother the Tuesday before her body was found, and he pushed her from the top of the stairs, her death resulting from the fall. The boy then divested the body of the clothing and left the house. He told this story to the police.

The question over the disposal of the body of Allister Evans Viscount D'Oyley, has entered a new phase at Paris, the officers having discovered a law forbidding the cremation of persons who have died of violence. The Viscount's family is seeking to arrange for a burial ground. The suicide did not bequeath his body, but his ashes, to Mme. Pfiucker. The various authorities concerned are each seeking to throw the responsibility of a decision on someone else. Meanwhile the body remains at the morgue.

The President will not speak at the dinner to be given to the Philippine World's Fair Commission by the New York Chamber of Commerce, June 17. Secretary Taft will represent the Administration on this occasion. This conculsion was reached yesterday at the Cabinet meeting. Secretary Taft reported no development in the Perdicaris kidnapping case.

Capt. Lemley's third term as Judge Advocate-General of the navy will expire today. Capt. S. W. B. Diehl, his successor, now commands the cruiser Boston, which arrived at Acapulco yesterday, en route to San Francisco. E. P. Hannat, solicitor of the department, will perform the duties of Judge Advocate until Capt. Diehl reaches Washington.

The Pope has expressed his intention to hold a consistory June 7. No cardinals, it is believed, will be appointed, only new bishops nominated. His Holiness may take this opportunity to deliever an address concerning events leading up to the recall of the French Ambassador.

SANTA BARBARA.

GUARDING AGAINST FAKERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, June 3.—Last night about thirty prominent business men of this city held a meeting for the purpose of forming a protective association, to shield the merchants from the impositions of the smooth itinerent advertising fakers. One and all were of the opinion that patience under these grafts was no longer a virtue but rather an evidence of weakness and obsolete business methods. Temporary organization was effected with M. C. Faulding, manager of the Boeseke-Dawe Hardware company, chairman, and John T. Johnston, a stationer, secretary. A rough draft of bylaws was submitted but it was thought advisable to refer it to a special committee to report next Tuesday. Hereafter the promoters of all advertising schemes will be referred to the secretary of the association and no scheme will be considered by the merchants unless it has received the approval of an advisory committee.

RESIDENCE BURNED.

At 2 o'clock this morning the residence of Mrs. Thomas Martin on Hawley Heights, just east of the city, was totally destroyed by fire. The house was a two story bungalow and the loss is estimated at bout $1500, none of which is covered by insurance. The origin of the blaze is unknown but it is surmised that a candle was overturned in the kitchen by an old Mexican servant who lives in a shack adjoining the house.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

OIL SUBURBAN LINE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, June 3.—The Sunset Telephone Company has arranged for a suburban line which is to extend through the Santa Maria oil field.

R. L. Janney, who was in charge of the San Luis Obispo and Monterey county exhibits at the St. Louis exposition returned home from St. Louis today. He has been succeeded by Charles A. Black. Mr. Janney reports that the two counties have a splendid exhibit. A large number of people are going from this city to view the big fair. Among those who left this week were: Mrs. Nesbitt and daughter, Miss Eleanor, Mrs. J. L. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson.

In the annual shoot between the Paso Robles and San Luis Obispo gun clubs, San Luis Obispo was victorious by the close score of 154 to 151.

FULLERTON.

BIG FLOW FROM GUSHERS.

FULLERTON, June 3.—The two big gushers recently brought in on the Brea Cañyon Oil Company and Graham & Loftus Company's leases are still producing oil at the rate of hundreds of barrels daily, and it is believed that they will be two of the best wells ever tapped in the Fullerton fields. The new well brought in on the Brea Cañyon lease is the twentieth well sunk on that company's property, every one of the others also being excellent producers. Not once has the drill failed on this lease to bring oil, and the result is that the stock has paid a regular dividend of six per cent. per month the past three years, and not a share of it can be purchased at any price. About two years ago this stock was selling at only $2.50 per share, and today it is valued at hundreds of dollars per share.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

Steamer Samoa, Capt. Madsen, 3 days from Caspar via San Francisco.

SAILED—FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

Steamer Shasta, Capt. Hansen, for Bellingham via San Francisco (with steamer Defiance in tow.)

Steamer Alcazar, Capt. Winkel, for San Francisco.

Steamer South Bay, Capt. Jamsson, for San Francisco.

Schooner Defiance, Saletzke, for San Francisco (in tow steamer Shasta.)

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

Steamer Samoa, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
British bark Hawthornbank, S. F. L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.
Bark Hesper, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Nokomis, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Taurus, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Annie Larsen, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Dauntless, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Bainbridge, L. W. Blinn L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Manilla, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner King Cyrus, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Wawona, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Chehalis, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Steamer Aberdeen, from Portland, via San Francisco.
Steamer James H. Higgins, from San Francisco.
Steamer Westport, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Olympic, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.
German ship Asia, from Antwerp.
Schooner William Renton, from Bellingham.
Schooner Alice McDonald, from Portland.
Schooner Charles R. Wilson, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Winslow, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dohlbeef, from Eureka
Schooner Salem, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Mary Dolge, from Eureka.
Schooner Muriel, from Aberdeen.
Schooner William Olson, from Everett.
Schooner A. F. Coats, from Astoria.
Schooner Dora Bluhm, from Eureka.
Schooner A. M. Baxter, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Ranger, from Port Townsend.
Schooner Ethel Zane, from Port Townsend.
Schooner Irene, from Portland.
Schooner Albert Meyer, from Ballard.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Asia from Antwerp, out 122 days.
German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, out 68 days.

TO LEAVE, SATURDAY, JUNE 4.

British bark Hawthornbank, Capt. Soutar, for Puget Sound in ballast.

MONDAY, June 6.—Steamer Samoa, Capt. Madsen, for Caspar via San Francisco.

TUESDAY, June 7.—Steamer Coos Bay, for San Francisco and way ports.

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SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Melville Dollar, Tacoma.
Steamer Pasadena, Eureka.
Steamer San Gabriel, Eureka.
Steamer South Coast, Caspar.
Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco.
Steamer Coos Bay, San Francisco.
Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Brunswick, Fort Bragg.
Barkentine J. L. Eviston, Tacoma.
Barkentine John C. Meyer, Seattle.
Barkentine George C. Perkins, Astoria.
Barkentine Portland, Tacoma.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.
Barkentine Willis R. Hume, Ballard.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.
Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner J. H. Coleman, Anacortes.
Schooner Marion, Aberdeen.
Schooner Olga, Eureka.
Schooner aWilson A. West, Aberdeen.
Schooner Muriel, Port Townsend.
Schooner Espada, Winslow.
Schooner Philippine, Tacoma.
Schooner Oceanic Vance, Port Townsend.
Schooner G. M. Kellogg, Eureka.
Schooner Comet, Aberdeen.
Schooner Cecelia Sudden, South Bend.
Schooner Zampa, Astoria.
Schooner Challenge, Port Hadlock.
Schooner C. Slade, Aberdeen.
Schooner F. S. Redfield, Aberdeen.
Schooner G. M. Watson, Portland.
Schooner Azalea, Eureka.
Schooner Alpha, Astoria.
Schooner Susie M. Plummer, Port Angeles.
Schooner E. B. Jackson, Aberdeen.
Schooner Melrose, Aberdeen.
Schooner Carrier Dove.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner E. K. Wood, Bellingham.
Schooner Mabel Gale, Astoria.
Schooner Alice M. Donald, Seattle.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa aCtalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

Launch Advance, Capt. Dimock, from Catalina with 100 pounds barracuda.

All the other vessels of the Mosquito fleet remain at their moorings in the inner harbor on account of rough weather outside.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Saturday,	" 4	0:18 a.m.	7:27 a.m.
		1:04 p.m.	8:18 p.m.
Sunday,	" 5	1:05 a.m.	8:10 a.m.
		1:48 p.m.	9:53 p.m.
Monday,	" 6	2:00 a.m.	9:24 a.m.
		2:29 p.m.	10:59 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 7	4:04 a.m.	9:47 a.m.
		3:09 p.m.	11:52 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 8	5:12 a.m.	10:43 a.m.
		3:44 p.m.	
Thursday,	" 9	6:24 a.m.	0:37 a.m.
		4:20 p.m.	11:12 a.m.
Friday,	" 10	7:11 a.m.	1:06 a.m.
		5:24 p.m.	12:20 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 9 miles.

The following changes of masters of Pacific Coast vessels are reported: G. W. Harvey has succeeded R. Rasmussen as master of the steamer Sea King; J. E. Patterson has been succeeded by H. C. Thomas in command of the steamer Spokane; C. Nicholson is now in command of the steamer State of California, vice H. C. Thomas; Charles E. Swenson has replaced A. W. Holstrom in command of the schooner Fortuna. The following have been enrolled: Schooner James F. McKenna, W. Waach, master; screw steamer Sea Queen, T. Tonnreson, master; schooner Hecla, D. Short, master.

The schooner S. T. Alexander, scheduled for this port from Tacoma, has arrived at Port Los Angeles, and will discharge her lumber cargo there.

The steamer Samoa arrived this morning from Caspar, bringing 280,000 feet of lumber, divided between local wholesale yards.

The steamer Shasta finished discharging a lumber cargo for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company and cleared for San Francisco, having in tow the schooner Defiance. From San Francisco the Shasta will proceed to Bellingham to load lumber for this port.

The British bark Hawthornbank finished taking ballast and was towed to the outer harbor late yesterday afternoon. She is scheduled to sail tomorrow for Puget Sound, where she has been chartered to take a lumber cargo.

The steamers Alcazar and South Bay finished discharging lumber cargoes and cleared for San Francisco and way ports.

A Serious Problem.

"Jane's mother is studying a great deal harder than Jane is just now."

"What is she studying?"

"Studying how to get Jane a graduation outfit."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Joseph Harrison, R. B. Higgins and wife, Escanaba, Mich.; J. Reese and wife, Chicago; H. R. Ives, San Diego; A. Bamburger, W. Brown, Jr., San Francisco; P. S. Mitchell, Ft. Douglas; W. E. Downey, New York; S. Hunt, San Jose; Mrs. T. G. Harrison, Indianapolis; H. Bohlen and family, Germany; H. C. Davidson, New York; J. Hammer, Denver; C. A. Molson, San Francisco; S. L. Levy, New York; M. E.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

ARTFUL DODGER IS PEDRO.

POLICE UNABLE TO LOCATE THE CHOLO SHOOTER.

Misses Moore and Lucas Pass an Uncomfortable Night in the Mountains After Wandering in Vain Search of the Trail—Audobons Will Picnic.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 36 South Raymond avenue, June 4.—Pedro Martinez, the drunken cholo who exchanged ten shots with Officer Kunsmen Thursday night, has been pursued for thirty hours, and up to 1 o'clock this morning has eluded capture.

Officers searched all night in the Mexican quarter, visiting at least fifty houses in the vicinity of Broadway and Glendale streets, and making a thorough search of the Orange Growers' packing-houses. Half an hour after the shooting a man was seen to cross the railroad tracks just south of the scene of the trouble. If this was Pedro, he did not go far, as the police are certain that he remained in the city Thursday night. At 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning he was seen on the road to San Gabriel, riding a bicycle at top speed. Word was sent to the Police Station, and Capt. Austin started in pursuit. No trace of the Mexican has been obtained since he passed through San Gabriel half an hour in advance of Capt. Austin.

Martinez is a wood-chopper, and lives at El Monte. It was supposed he would first go there, after the shooting, and an officer was sent to that place late Thursday night, but Peter was too wise to run into such a trap.

FOUND THEMSELVES.

Miss Edith Moore of No. 286 Marengo avenue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, and Miss Winifred Lucas, daughter of Mrs. H. E. Lucas of No. 254 Marengo place, found themselves at daylight yesterday after an unpleasant and enforced night spent on the side of Mount Wilson.

For twenty-two hours the young women wandered about, having lost their way while attempting to take a short cut in reaching the "old" trail, while on their way down the mountain.

The party that went up the trail a week ago this morning included Misses Moore and Lucas, Miss Nellie Bassett, daughter of one of the proprietors of the trails and the camp, Ralph Hopkins, son of City Auditor Hopkins, Leslie Gibson, draughtsman in the office of the City Engineer, and Arthur Sawyer. The party was chaperoned by Miss Anna M. Bannister of No. 254 Marengo place. The Misses Moore and Lucas remained for a visit with Miss Bassett, while Miss Bannister and the three young men returned to the city last Monday. Thursday morning the three young ladies, accompied by Mr. Bassett, started down the trail. At the place where what is known as the "new" trail leaves the old, Misses Moore and Lucas separated from Mr. Bassett and his daughter, and took what they supposed to be a short cut, but which path led them down to Fellows' Camp, back into the mountains, instead of down into the valley.

Until far into the night they wandered, until faint from hunger and utterly exhausted, they fell asleep on the steep mountain side, their clothing drenched and in tatters, and their shoes torn almost into shreds. With the coming of daylight they easily found their way down the trail. Searching parties were sent out by Mr. Bassett when he reached the bottom of the trail, and learned that the young ladies had not passed that way. The searchers remained out all night, fires were kept burning and firearms were discharged at frequent intervals.

AUDUBONS WILL PICNIC.

The annual picnic of the Audubon Society will be held this afternoon in the eucalyptus grove on Fair Oaks avenue, Altadena. The literary programme will begin at 1:30 o'clock with an address by President Newkirk. Other speakers will be Dr. E. L. Conger, Prof. Joseph Grinnell, and Elizabeth Grinnell. Catherine Wheat and Marcia Coolidge will give readings, and the secretary will read special messages from Olive Thorne Miller, William Dutcher, Charles Keeler, Florence Merriam Bailey, and other bird lovers. There will be plenty of shade, and the picnickers will take their lunch.

THE SOCIAL WHIRL.

Miss Emily Norton, the bride-elect, will have little time for retrospection and no room for fond regrets this coming week, judging by the many pleasant things her friends are planning for her. Invitations are out for a reception to be given in her honor by Mrs. Theodore Coleman and Miss Alice Coleman next Wednesday afternoon.

On the following Friday Mrs. Jack Bragdon will give a luncheon; on Saturday Miss Bragdon will entertain with a theater party and supper; and on Sunday Miss Norton will give a luncheon for her bridal party, which will include her bridesmaids, Miss Mabel Norton, Miss Bragdon, Miss Coleman; Mr. Fred Braden of Los Angeles, the best man; and the ushers, Mr. Jack Bragdon and Mr. Hiram Barlow.

HIGH SCHOOL RECEPTION.

Last evening La Pintoresca was brilliant with scarlet and white—the High School colors—in honor of the reception given by the eleventh grade of the High School to the graduating class. In the music room, where the reception was held, red and white pendants waved against a background of ferns and bushes, while in the dining-room red and white carnations and ferns were lavishly used.

The programme consisted of a shadow pantomime in which Mr. Jepson took the leading part; a piano solo by Miss Belle Brandenburg; a recitation by Miss Gail Jepson; a quartette by Miss True Batterson, Miss Carrie Rose, Harry Fiess and Earnest Crawford, with Miss Alice Crawford as accompanist; and a vocal solo by Miss True Batterson.

The Committee of Arrangements was composed of Edgar Fawcett, Gertrude Green, Genevieve Stehman, Burdette Brown, Alice Nichols, Walter Alley and Ernest Crawford.

INFORMAL MUSICALE.

Mrs. Helen Lukens Jones gave an informal musicale Thursday evening at her bungalow on Walnut street. Among those who contributed by their music to the pleasure of the evening were Kirk Dyer, E. Edmund Earle, Mrs. George Fassel and Revel Lindsey English. After the musical programme the guests entered a contest in identifying different scents. In this contest the prize winners were Miss Elec Lowry, a book of handsome photographs; Mr. English, a yucca-bound volume, called "Lessons in Love," and Miss Richardson, as the consolation prize, a photograph of a Chinese medicine man, below which was a row of grinning skulls, and the inscription, "A medicine man and results."

Mrs. George Fassel scored equally with Miss Lowry in the contest, each detecting thirty odors, but she was less fortunate in drawing and so lost the prize.

ANTE-NUPTIAL SHOWER.

Mrs. Harry J. Macomber gave a shower at her home on Worchester avenue yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Emily M. Norton, who is to be married to Charles Coleman June 15. Mrs. Lloyd Macy poured tea and during the afternoon ices and cake were served. The house was prettily decorated, sweet peas and carnations being the flowers used. Those invited were Mrs. Edward Groenendyke, Mrs. Edward Frye, Mrs. Jack Bragdon, Mrs. Putney Brindley, Mrs. Lloyd Macy and the Misses Craig, Eleanor Craig, Andrews, Claypool, Fay Claypool, Merwin, Horton, Mable Norton, Coleman, Bragdon, Hart, Goodridge, Markham, Alice Markham, Holmes, Cloud, Vallette, Bradshaw, Senter, Masters and Rowland.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scripps returned yesterday to their Altadena home from an extended eastern trip, and will remain during the summer. Mr. Scripps will resume the erection of his residence on his Altadena ranch, interrupted by the trip East.

There will be a meeting of the Pasadena High School alumni Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in room six of the new High School building, to arrange for the annual alumni banquet.

Mrs. R. G. Bailey of Pomona and Katherine Braley of Los Angeles are guests of Mrs. O. W. Stanton.

Three buildings are to be erected on North Raymond avenue, opposite Library Park, for storeroom purposes, the upper stories to be used as tenement. It is said Walter Richardson will build them for his father, C. H. Richardson.

M. A. Hall and G. F. Thompson have opened a new street from Walnut street to East Orange Grove avenue, and have platted the ground and call it Rosemont-avenue tract.

Wives, sisters, sweethearts and friends of the Y.M.C.A. entertained last evening in the auditorium. A musical programme was rendered, short talks were made by Rev. F. M. Dowling and Secretary E. T. Barns. Mrs. L. H. Turner, president of the auxiliary, reviewed the work of the past year.

While driving a Packard touring car on Madison avenue yesterday afternoon, F. C. Hagerman of Los Angeles ran down a little niece of E. C. Shedwill of No. 696 First street, who was riding a bicycle. The wheel was practically ruined, but the child escaped serious injury. Mr. Hagerman purchased another bicycle and gave it to the child.

Vellum trading paper at Leonard's.
Wadsworth sells paints.
Closing out refrigerators at Pennel's.
At half price Saturday, 3000 yards dimity, batiste, swiss and gingham, at Bon Accord.

OCEAN PARK.

FOR MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

OCEAN PARK, June 3.—A public meeting is to be held Monday evening for the purpose of organizing a Municipal League to work for the upbuilding of the city. This league will be similar to the one just organized at Santa Monica and as there is to be such an organization here there will be no occasion for Ocean Parkers to join the Santa Monica organization, although the two organizations will be expected to work harmoniously for the advancement of this bay.

COUNTRY CLUB CHIEF.

A merry contest is on over the election of a new president of the Country Club. The new directors were unable to elect at their first meeting and have decided to make another trial. The candidates are Mayor Dana Burks and City Treasurer J. H. Biagge.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

At Ocean Park's first school election, held today, Susan N. de Luna, Lula A. Werner and J. G. French were elected directors. There were no other candidates.

Mrs. C. C. Lewis is planning the erection of a six-room bungalow on the beach.

CLAREMONT.

WILLETT LEAVES.

CLAREMONT, June 3.—Harry S. Willett, of the junior class of Pomona College, who a week ago tried to burn the residence of Mrs. Renwick, and, then to shoot himself, left Claremont this morning, for his home in San Luis Obispo.

Willett was rather weak from the wound in the breast and shoulder, but was able to get to the train. He was accompanied by his mother and father, pastor of the San Luis Obispo Congregational Church.

Claremont, at large, is dazed by this affair. The attempts of the youth to burn the house and then shoot himself; his story, manufactured to try to escape from the judgment of his friends; his confession yesterday—all these matters are a mystery to the students and town people. His many friends here, who had unlimited confidence in Willett, are unable to account for his actions or motives.

STUDENTS CONSOLIDATE.

A mass meeting was held this noon for the purpose of adopting a constitution, whereby all the student organizations of the college will be united. The constitution was voted for unanimously, and now, under the title of The Associated Students of Pomona College, all activities—football, baseball, tennis, track, oratorical and publicational—will be associated and conducted. This marks an important advance step in Pomona's progress. Officers for the new association will be elected early next week.

DAGGERS TO MOUNTAINS.

Well rigged for game, and fishing and fun, the Junior-Sophomore "Frat" of "Daggers" started this noon for Cold Water, a camp in the San Gabriel Cañon, where they will enjoy a high time away from studies until Tuesday. Those who went were Messrs. McCormick, Taylor, Robb, Seaver, Parker, Voorhees, F. Moore, L. Moore, Davis, Thomas, Parks.

EL MONTE.

TO BUILD A HOTEL.

EL MONTE, June 3.—W. R. Dodson is planning to move his hotel on Main street back on the lot and in its place erect a $7000 brick building, to be used for a hotel, which his son, Clay Dodson, will run.

The San Bernardino road, the main thoroughfare for El Monte, is being improved by leveling, oiling and sanding. The Highway Commission states that the mile stones for the block system will be set up within a few weeks.

L. E. Thompson of Whittier has taken the position as engineer at the East Whittier Land and Water Company's plant, Esta Rayer having resigned to accept a place with the Whitcomb Irrigating Company at San Dimas.

OVERTON DIES AT LONG BEACH.

FAMILY SAYS OLD MAN WAS NOT A CENTENARIAN.

Exertion in Demonstrating Falsity of Last Monday's Report of His Death Believed to Have Hastened His Passing—Was a Picturesque Figure.

LONG BEACH, June 3.—J. Overton, who made a special trip into town Tuesday to deny the report of his death, has at last crossed the great divide. The exertion of demonstrating that he was alive is believed to have hastened his passing. The old man died last night at the home of his son, William, four miles from this city.

On Tuesday morning visitors who called at his home found the old man at work in his garden and he laughingly said he enjoyed the novelty of having read his own obituary. He was in good health and spirits and visited his popcorn stand in Long Beach in the afternoon. He showed no sign of the strain Wednesday nor yesterday until noon, when he became so feeble that he went to bed. About 1 o'clock his son asked him how he felt and Mr. Overton then said he thought his hours were numbered, and he would not live through the night. Those were the last words he spoke, and he sank steadily until the end came.

Mr. Overton was unusually strong and vigorous for his age, and showed no signs of mental decay. His talk was always lucid and intelligent and he was able to read the finest print.

His children are averse to any unnecessary public display in their hour of sorrow and for this reason the funeral will be unostentatious. Simple services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Wilson-Hill chapel, Rev. H. B. Gage officiating. The interment will be at Signal Hill. The Odd Fellows and Grand Army veterans will attend, but will take no part in the burial. The pallbearers will be old personal friends of the deceased.

With the passing of Mr. Overton comes the disclosure that the great age claimed by him was not a fact, but a delusion which the old man had gradually come to believe. He bitterly resented any efforts of his family to correct it, saying that he was there and ought to know if anyone did. His children have lamented the deception, but have hesitated to expose for fear it might excite and irritate their father and thus hasten his decline.

Now that he is dead they desire the truth disclosed. Owing to the absence of records and inability to get immediate access to his war papers, his exact age is not obtainable, but it is less than 90 years, and perhaps 87 will be nearer the truth. While the deception was only an old man's fancy the family feel that it will lift a great burden from their minds to have the truth known.

As near as can be ascertained Mr. Overton was born in Warren county, Pa., October 5, 1814 or 1817. He was a veteran of two wars and served his country bravely in both conflicts. Seven children survive, besides a number of grand and great grandchildren. He has been a resident of Long Beach for four years.

He established a little popcorn stand on the ocean front and was always ready to talk entertainingly of his life, giving details to prove that he was born in 1797. Mr. Overton was an honored member of the Grand Army of the Republic and of the Odd Fellows, having been a member of the latter organization over fifty years.

SANTA MONICA.

SEWER FARM KNOCKED.

SANTA MONICA, June 3.—The scheme for a sewer farm to be owned jointly by the cities of Santa Monica and Ocean Park is receiving hard knocks. One of the heavy blows against it is the report of City Engineer Thomas H. James.

Mr. James does not think the plan is practical, feasible or beneficial for the reason that a sewage farm is not conducive to the growth or health of either Santa Monica or Ocean Park. Mr. James opposes the use for food of anything grown on a sewage farm. Cows fed on vegetables or grasses that absorb any considerable amount of oxygen, he says, will yield impure milk. He believes that the low level lands would become sour and full of deadly germs of miasma. Bacteria beds, he says, do not remove all deadly germs. The septic tank for clarification of sewage by chemical process has its champions and Engineer James believes it is possible to purify the sewage of the two cities by the bacterial process in a septic tank at the foot of Pier avenue and drain the effluent into the sea through the present outfall sewer. Joint ownership by the two cities Engineer James says is not practicable and he believes that the proposed sewer system and farm would cost $35,000 instead of $14,500 as estimated by Engineer Schuyler.

It is freely predicted that there will be no joint sewer farm. Santa Monica will probably repair and extend the outfall sewer and insist upon Ocean Park's paying rental for the use of it.

SEASIDE BRIEFS.

The funeral of Mrs. Pasqual Romo of Yuma, Ariz., who died here yesterday morning, was conducted this afternoon.

The schooner Alexander has arrived at Port Los Angeles from Tacoma. She is lumber laden.

Union services will be held at the M. E. Church Sunday evening, when the sermon will be delivered to the High School graduating class.

The board of trustees of the public library has decided to charge non-residents a fee for access to the library.

The Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company is relaying its tracks from Sawtelle to Santa Monica with sixty-pound rails.

Will A. Harris of Los Angeles has accepted the invitation to be orator of the day at Santa Monica's Fourth of July celebration.

The eleventh annual commencement of the Santa Monica High School is to be held next Friday evening at the Lincoln school auditorium. There are four in the graduating class, Viola M. Baker, Stanley Dunham, James W. Reeves and Clarence Smith.

Building permits issued within the past few days are as follows: Mrs. Crawford, $3250 cottage, on Grand avenue; G. G. Bunday, $1300 house on Oregon avenue tract; J. A. Caldwell, $800 cottage on South Fourth street; B. J. Higuera, $400 bungalow on Second street near Bay; S. C. Norton, cottage on Prospect Hill; C. E. Kelley, $500 addition to Crescent Bay tract.

P. J. Flynn was tried this afternoon before Justice A. L. Jenness on a charge of selling liquor within a mile and a half of a soldiers' home. The trial took place before a jury of twelve. Flynn was accused of operating a "blind pig" east of Santa Monica. The jurymen were unable to make a verdict. Another trial will be had on the 20th inst. The penalty for this offense is severe, being a fine and thirty days in the County Jail. The jail sentence is imperative.

TROPICO.

SETTLERS FROM EAST.

TROPICO, June 3.—C. R. Carmack, proprietor of a fruit-canning establishment in Frankfort, Mich., has purchased three acres in the Riverdale tract. Mr. and Mrs. Carmack and Miss Carmack have taken quarters in N. C. Burch's cottage on Park avenue until they can erect a residence.

Misses Anna and Elizabeth Christ of Evansville, Ind., have purchased three and one-half acres in the Riverdale tract.

J. R. Wood and sister, Miss Lillie D. Wood of Streator, Ill., have bought five acres of Daniel Shears and will take possession at once.

Henry Bensing, who has bought an acre of James B. Normant, is about to begin the erection of a residence.

Mrs. Fannie Cushing and children of Oakland are guests of Mrs. L. L. Cushing and family.

Mrs. E. B. Ellias of Los Angeles has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chandler, for a week.

Miss Elsie Wilcox of Omaha, Neb., has been visiting Mrs. F. I. Marsh of Beth-Eden ranch for a few days.

CATALINA ISLAND.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ELECTED.

AVALON, June 3.—An election for trustees of the Catalina school district was held today, resulting in the choice of A. A. Carraher, Edwin Stanton and E. J. Whitney, they to hold office for three, two and one year in the order stated.

The record fish catch for the year was taken yesterday afternoon by Fred Harding and T. H. Merriman. They were out with the launch Violet G., Tad Gray skipper, but never went out of the bay, the entire catch, consisting of nineteen white sea bass, two yellowtail and two barracuda, being taken in the bay between the end of the wharf and the steamer buoy.

SAN PEDRO.

SEAWALL'S BIGGEST MONTH.

SAN PEDRO, June 3.—A larger quantity of rock was dumped on the breakwater site in May than in any previous month in the history of the work, there being 48,000 tons of rock placed in the substructure and 2000 tons in the superstructure. The heaviest day's work was accomplished May 30, when 100 cars, averaging 29 tons of rock, were unloaded.

Within the month 160 feet of trestle were extended out into the ocean, leaving but 800 feet more to be built. The total length of the breakwater when completed will be 8500 feet.

Some idea of the enormity of the work in hand can be obtained when it is remembered that this 8500 feet of breakwater will have a width at the base of from 120 to 185 feet, with the width of the top of the substructure 35 feet, and of the superstructure 20 feet. The depth of water to be filled for over a mile and a half to this enormous width varies from 20 feet at the shore end to 50 feet at the outer end.

President R. C. Eager of the California Construction Company, which holds the contract for the seawall, made his monthly inspection trip over the work Tuesday, and was so highly pleased with the progress that he tendered all his employés at the breakwater camp a banquet and gave them a half-holiday.

BAPTIST PASTOR INSTALLED.

Rev. Myron Cooley, the newly-elected pastor of the First Baptist Church, was today installed with appropriate ceremonies. He was greeted by a large audience and by all the local pastors of other denominations.

Over sixty delegates were present from Los Angeles and neighboring towns. After a vote had been taken recognising the church as a member of the Baptist Association a programme was rendered, which included prayer by Rev. A. S. Phelps of Ontario; addresses of congratulation by Rev. M. S. Howe of Compton, Rev. T. N. Lord of Alhambra, and Rev. S. N. Gage of Chino; a welcome to the Los Angeles association by Rev. C. C. Pierce, pastor of Memorial Church of Los Angeles; scripture reading by Pastor Henck of Bethel Church of Los Angeles; prayer by Rev. Ko Chow, pastor of Chinese church of Los Angeles; a sermon by Rev. S. C. Ohrum, pastor of the East Los Angeles Baptist Church; an address on "The Church as an Evangelistic Force" by Pastor White of Rivera; a charge to the church by Rev. L. A. Gould of Santa Monica; a charge to the pastor by Rev. J. F. Wolford of Gardena; an address on "The Community and the Church," by Rev. A. L. Wadsworth, assistant pastor of Temple Church of Los Angeles; an address on "The Pastor and the Sunday-school," by the pastor of Calvary Church of Los Angeles; an address on "The Pastor and the Prayer Meeting," by Rev. W. C. Clatworthy of Emmanuel Church of Los Angeles; and a greeting from local pastors of other denominations.

A gratifying feature of the meeting was the subscription of over $300 by the delegates for the purpose of erecting a church in this city. It is expected that this fund will be materially increased by local contributions.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

The election for a school trustee for a term of three years, held today, resulted in a decided victory for Edward Mahar, incumbent, who defeated Kenneth Carter by several hundred votes. The question of the building of a high school here will come up during the current year.

LAUNCHES ALL IN.

All the launches which were out in the storm of Wednesday have been accounted for. The Elsie, Capt. Brundage, had a rough time and reached port badly damaged. The Fashion made port at Santa Barbara.

COLEGROVE.

WARM TRUSTEE FIGHT.

COLEGROVE, June 3.—The election in the Los Feliz school district to choose a trustee for the Hollywood Union High School district today resulted in the incumbent being beaten by one vote. William H. Hoegee received twenty-six votes and it looked as if there was to be a tie, but someone remembered that a resident in the district, one Wagner, was working here at Colegrove. A horse was hitched up and a mad gallop made to bring Wagner home to cast his vote against Hoegee, and he did. The consequence was that James B. Murphy won by one vote.

The reason ascribed for the opposition to the incumbent is that he made no fight in the selection of a site for the school.

In the election for grammar school trustee W. H. Hoegee was elected by thirty-five votes as against fifteen cast for his opponent, B. S. Dockery.

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$15.00 Trimmed Hats $5.00.

An assortment of about 50 hats, some of them original French patterns, both dress and suit styles; also new French sailors of white hair braid trimmed with ruffles and mantine and knot of velvet in colors, values from $10 to $15; choice for Saturday, only..... $5.00

$7.50 Street Hats $3.95.

An assortment for women and misses, including hand made hats in sailor and turban shapes, all of best grade satin or Jap braids; also flare shapes of shirred silk and chiffon in all colors, values up to $7.50. Choice Saturday..... $3.95

Misses $3.95 Hats at $2.50.

These are dress hats of Cuba braid or leghorns, have shirred silk facings in white and colors and are trimmed with flowers and ribbon rosettes, values up to $3.95, price for Saturday..... $2.50

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